

# ANDOVER TOWNSMAN

Andover, everywhere and always, first, last,—the manly, straight-forward, sober, patriotic, New England Town.—*PHILLIPS BROOKS.*

VOL. II.

ANDOVER, MASS., MAY 10, 1889.

NO. 30

## G. A. R.

### —OUTFITS.—

### Hats! Blouses! Trousers!

—AT—

## BICKNELL

To avoid the rush at the last moment, and disappointment caused by broken sizes, we would advise members of the **GRAND ARMY** to secure their outfits early.

## BROS.

### LAWRENCE, MASS.

### J. F. RICHARDS, M. D., New Goods just Received

Residence and Office  
Cor. Main St. and Punchard Avenue

### Dr. ABBOTT,

Office and Residence, 43 Main Street.

OFFICE HOURS.

Till 9 A.M.; 1 to 3 P.M.; after 6 P.M.

C. W. SCOTT, M.D.,  
Surgeon and Homeopathic Physician,  
49 MAIN STREET

Office Hours, until 9 a.m.; 1 to 3 and 7 to 9 p.m.

### J. A. LEITCH, M. D.,

Office Hours, till 8.30 A. M., 1 to 3 and after 7 P. M.

Barnard's Block, Andover.

EMMA M. E. SANBORN, M. D.,  
Green Street, Andover, Mass.

OFFICE HOURS.

8 to 10 A.M., 1 to 3 and 7 to 8 P.M.

### CHARLES H. GILBERT,

#### DENTIST,

Draper's Block,

Andover.

to be sold at  
slight advance on cost.

Also shall close out at one-half their cost some goods that have been accumulating for some time.

### JOHN H. DEAN.

### JAS. T. BRADY, SLATER.

Roofs covered with slate at reasonable prices. All work warranted. Repairs promptly attended to.

54 Garden St.,

Lawrence.

Orders may be left at McLawlin's Hard ware store.

### PASTURING.

Good pasturing for 2 cows, for the season. Apply to  
George Mander.

### PIANOS.

NEW Chickering & Son's Piano.  
NEW Palace Organ.  
2nd hand Palace Organ  
will be sold cheap for cash, or on installments.

Apply to Geo. N. Grieve,

P. O. Box 130,

Park St., Andover.

### New Advertisements.



### BEAUTIFUL LAKE CO CHICHEWICK

Years ago a Famous Resort of the Historic Red Men.

There are few regions in New England which the wild legends and traditions of the fast-vanishing race of red men have not invested with a peculiar charm. The poetic legends of Whittier have made famous the White Hills of New Hampshire, and the lake region of that state as well, but there are many other localities, equally worthy, which are still unsung, and the legends which remain to remind us of aboriginal days are fast vanishing into forgetfulness.

Such a region is that in the immediate neighborhood of Lake Cochichewick, in North Andover, where, hundreds of years ago, the noble race of red men built their graceful wigwams and lighted their council fires. There they watched the golden maize ripen in the fertile meadows under the influence of the September sun, and pursued the bounding deer through the dense forests. Lake Cochichewick was then, as now, one of the most beautiful sheets of water in all this region, and its waters were as clear and cool as a shower of pearls.

The same conditions exist now. No polluted streams flow into it, but it is fed by springs in the bottom of the lake, which make its waters absolutely pure, and always cold and clear. Its shores are covered with small, smooth pebbles, and upon adjacent hillsides forests of oak and evergreen still remain.

At the lower end of the lake three large ice houses have been erected and filled with ice from this clear body of water. Six thousand tons have been housed here by EDWARD ADAMS, who is prepared to furnish ice of absolute purity to his customers. It is vastly different from the ordinary ice sold in New England, and it can be obtained by leaving your order at the store of

### VALPEY BROTHERS, Andover.

### Strictly Pure Ice!

Citizens of Andover desiring a strictly pure article of ice should see that their supply comes from Pumps pond. As pure a sheet of water as there is in Massachusetts, surrounded by hill and wood. Fed entirely by springs, there is no chance for impurities, not even locomotive cinders. It is of as much historic interest as her larger sister in connection with the Red Men or the Black, and is not behind in sentimentality, and it is ahead in purity.

I secured two thousand tons of ice from its surface the past winter, and am prepared to furnish persons with it at reasonable rates in quantities to suit. Orders left with REA & ABBOTT will receive prompt attention.

### B. F. HOLT.

### COLD FACTS FOR WHITE FOLKS.

There are in our vicinity many places where, centuries ago, the untutored savage, in his blissful ignorance of civilization, lived in luxury and ease, as measured by his barbarous tastes and inclinations. But who would thus measure the good people of Old Andover, whose claims are to the highest type of Christian civilization and science, and do not pant for that primitive existence of the aborigines, who doubtless had never heard of a refrigerator, a cooler or a freezer, or, indeed, of "Hinton's Ice Creams?" The average Andoverian of to-day will employ his home talent and trust to science and good sense in the choice of that frigid or frozen elementary product commonly called ICE. And if there is danger of poisoning if taken from the haunts of the "Red Men" or the "Black," or if by reason of surface drainage, "Railroad Cinders" or "Mill washings" in these localities, we would point with pride to historic Old Shawheen River, the long coveted prize of our Modern Athens, her sons and daughters, for her WATERS OF UNSURPASSED EXCELLENCE AND PURITY. Science has again declared that absolute or comparative purity of water is found in the more or less rapid running streams. BE WISE, then, and CONSIDER.

The undersigned has secured a full supply of Shawheen River Ice, which he offers to old customers and new at prices and on terms and conditions to meet times and circumstances for 1889.

### H. M. HAYWARD.

Ballard Vale, May 10.

### ANDOVER NEWS.

For other Andover News, see Pages 4 and 8.

95 deg. in the shade yesterday afternoon.

Moses Smith & Co., who are to do the stone work for Hardy & Cole at the new bank building, have put up their big derrick in preparation for putting in the foundations.

Mr. James B. Smith's residence, Main St., is being repainted by E. H. Barnard.

The Abbot Academy work is going quietly but rapidly on. The second story walls of the new hall are nearly finished.

Ovid Chapman bought the South Centre primary schoolhouse (near the Old South church), sold at auction on Monday, for \$300. He is to place it on the site of his restaurant on Main St., moving that back.

Jos. A. Smart's house, Main St., was raised on Tuesday—a much less important and elaborate affair than it would have been seventy years ago, and—so far as we know—without any of the traditional accompaniments of an old-fashioned "raisin'."

C. B. Mason is shingling Mrs. Fay's house on Main Street.

Prof. Tucker delivered an address on Tuesday before the Woburn Conference at Medford, upon "The Church at Work in all Phases possible."

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert D. Ward went to Gloucester last Saturday for the season.

Prof. Churchill is to give readings at the annual meeting of the American Institute of Instruction to be held at Bethlehem, N. H., July 8-12.

We have a most profusely and finely illustrated album of the Bazaar of the Arboreth (Scotland) United Cricket Club. The heads of forty fine-looking Scotchmen are grouped together, among whom are recognized two formerly of this town.

The *Phillipian* says that the Andover Club at Harvard University has offered two prizes, \$10 and \$15, available to competition of Middle and Senior Classes of the Academy, for excellence in English Composition and Rhetoric. The papers are to be sent to the Faculty here before June 1.

A letter has been received from Rev. F. A. Wilson, Billerica, accepting the call to the pastorate of the Free church. He is to announce his decision at Billerica next Sunday.

There will be an important auction-sale at the stable-yard of the (old) Mansion House, next Thursday at 1 P.M.; a lot of carriages, harnesses, etc.; belonging to Chas. L. Carter, and a lot of household furniture belonging to Prof. C. M. Mead. See advertisement in another column.

A hearing before ex-Gov. Robinson, as special commissioner in the Andover case, was held at Springfield yesterday, President Seelye and a few other witnesses being examined. The evidence showed, what has all along been understood, that Dr. Eustis and Judge Marshall voted for the removal of Prof. Smyth, and Dr. Seelye for retaining him, Messrs. Eustis and Seelye having at one of the meetings presented papers containing the findings which they respectively favored. President Seelye testified that when it was developed that the verdict was not to be unanimous, he told his associates that as it would involve the removal of nearly the entire faculty of the Seminary, and the consequent filling of the vacancies, his health would not permit him to take the responsibility of the work, and he should therefore resign his place. The counsel for the Professors construed this as explaining the reason why Dr. Eustis declined to vote in the case of Professors Tucker, Churchill, Harris and Hincks. Other interesting evidence was taken as to alleged utterances of Dr. Eustis at a missionary prayer meeting.

J. H. Campion & Co. are to occupy the room in Carter's block recently vacated by Lyle. O'Connell Bros. are making some changes there, including a room for ripening bananas.

Memorial Hall  
Nov 88 2 copies

We are glad to learn that Lt. Commander Edward T. Strong has received orders to remain on duty at the Charlestown Navy Yard, which will allow him to be at home rather than "afloat" another year.

Offerings were gathered at the South church on Sunday to secure the restoration of the communion plate damaged by the burglars last fall; the amount taken was \$80.

Prof. Phelps is reported as very ill at his summer home in Bar Harbor.

Mrs. Millie (Berry) DeWint and children of New York have arrived at the Salem St. home for the summer.

Kennelly & Sylvester, the music merchants, 250 Essex St. Lawrence, have a first class tuner in their employ. See their advertisement, page 3.

Surveyor Hayward is repairing the upper part of Park St. as specially voted at the March meeting.

Thos. O'Brien is digging the cellar for Mrs. J. Newton Cole's house on Chestnut Street.

At the installation on Wednesday evening of Rev. Dr. William Adams over the 1st Presbyterian church of Boston (Columbus Avenue), Prof. Moore gave the charge to the pastor.

Miss Heilmüller, teacher of German at Abbot Academy, has resigned her position, and is to be succeeded by her former instructor in Germany.

Geo. M. Dean was one of the successful applicants before the Board of Registration in Pharmacy, yesterday. These certificates are only given after thorough examination.

The Right Rev. Benj. H. Paddock, Bishop of the Diocese of Massachusetts, preached and administered the impressive rite of confirmation to eight persons in Christ church Thursday evening.

Dennis McCarty was before Judge Poor on Monday for cruelty to animals, and was sentenced to pay \$10 and costs, the cruelty being the fast driving of a horse hired of Pray the day before.

Chief Cheever made an unsuccessful raid at James Hayes's, Frye Village, on Tuesday night.

The Wren Combination performance, in aid of the G.A.R., will be at the Town Hall, next Thursday evening.

We are sorry to learn that Miss Mary A. Low suffered the dislocation and fracture of her right shoulder yesterday afternoon. She was about falling from a hay-mow in her barn, she was caught by the arm and thus sustained the injury. As Miss Low is 74 years of age, the recovery will probably be slow.

The beauties of the license system were seen in Lawrence on Saturday night, when the duly authorized saloons were so crowded that four and five bar-tenders in each could not supply the demand, and the hotels had to be closed and the police called to disperse the crowds assembled outside. Another authority says, everybody was drunk. Probably this last statement is somewhat exaggerated. We should think the good people who oppose prohibition and favor license would not feel very complacent, as they look ahead, and anticipate a constant repetition of such scenes, and all the miseries involved in them.

Now that Andover is to have an electric system, it is interesting to note that a Pennsylvania judge has decided that an electric light company is not a manufacturing concern—for "manufacturing can only be applied to a corporation which produces a material substance." That is, we cannot make light of electricity.

We would not like to publish anything to hurt the business of our dental neighbor, but as faithful journalists we must chronicle the fact that a Canadian shoemaker who recently had a tooth extracted found in it the point of an awl which he broke off in the hollow of the tooth seventeen years ago. Before that it had ached severely, but never since. Now we have an awl-healing remedy!



## AULD LANG-SYNE.

## Old Andover Records.

No. 30.

## MARRIAGES. 1702.

Jan. 27. Samuel peabody and Lydia holt both of Andover were married by Mr. Thomas Barnard the 27 day of January 1701-2.

Feb. 4. Sergt Samuel osgood and hannah Dane both of Andover were married the 4 day of february 1701-2. by Mr. Thomas Barnard.

March 26. Benjamin Russell and Mary Preston Both of Andover were married the 26 day of March 1702

June 17. Jacob preston and Sarah Willson Both of Andover were married By Mr. Thomas Barnard the 17 day of June 1702

Dec. 2. Edward Gray and Sarah Osgood Both of Andover were married By Mr. Thomas Barnard the 2d day of december 1702.

## DEATHS. 1702.

Jan. 30. Jonathan Steevens Son of Joseph and Elizabeth Steevens dyed 30 January 1701-2

March 5. Joseph Johnson Son of John and Elenor Johnson dyed ye 5 day of March. 1701-2.

Aug. 10. phebe peters daughter of Samuel and phebe peeters dyed ye 10 day of August 1702.

Aug. 13. John Sady aged about 24 years dyed 13 of August 1702.

Aug. 19. Mrs. Abigail Barnard wife of Mr. Thomas Barnard dyed the 19 of August Annoque Dom 1702

Sept. 1. Isaac osgood Son of Timothy and deborah osgood dyed ye 11 of October 1702.

Oct. 11. Zebadiah holt Son of george and elizabeth holt dyed ye 11 of October 1702.

Nov. 9. Ephraim Steevens Son of Ephraim and Sarah Steevens dyed November 9th: 1702

Nov. 13. Coll. Dudley Bradstreet dyed the 13th day of November 1702.

## BIRTHS. 1703.

[Child of —] and Sarah Steevens was born ye 23 of —

[Child of John] and Elenor [Ballard] Johnson was born the

[Child of John and Sarah] White was Born ye 30 day of January 1702-3

[Child of Samuel] and Lydia [Holt] peabody was Born ye 16 of february

[Child of Joseph and] marah [Richardson] wilson was Born ye 18 of february 1702-3

[Child of Samuel and] hannah [Holt] farnem was Borne ye 28 of february 1702-3

[Child of Ralph and Sarah] [Sterling] farnem was Borne ye 16 of March 1702-3

[Child of John and Amy ?] Barnot was Borne ye 18 day of March 1702-3

[Child of George (?) and Eliza] beth [Ballard ?] Abbott was Born ye 17th day of march 1702-3

[Child of Joseph and Lydia] parker was Born ye 14 day of february 1702-3.

[Child of] — Barker Borne May ye 12th 1702

Born ye 11 day of april 1703

day of april 1703

april 1703

1 1703

May 1703

Nehemiah Chandler son of henery and Lydia [Abbot] Chand

dinah farnem daughter of Thomas and hannah [Hutchinson] farnem

Joshuah holt son of Nikolice and mary [Russell]

Nathaniel chandler son of Joseph and Sarah [Abbot] Chandler

Elizabeth holt daughter of george and eli [zabeth [Farnum] Holt]

Ebenezer Steevens son of Ebenezer and Sarah [Sprague] Steven—

William peeters son of Samuel and pheebie [Frye] peeters

Deborah Loujoy daughter of Nathl and dorathy [Hoyt] Loujoy was

Samuel Johnson son of francis and Sarah [Hawks] Johnson was born

Elizabeth Steevens daughter of John and Ruth [Poor] Steevens was Bo

Abiall fry Son of John and Tabitha [Farnum] fry was Borne ye 30th day

Thomas poore Son of daniell and Mehita-bell poore was Born

Thomas Russell Son of Robert and hannah [Tyler] Russell was Born ye

Nathaniel Ingols Son of Samuel and Sarah [Herrick] Ingols was Born ye

John Abbott Son of John And Elizabeth [Harndin] Abbott was Born ye [1st of September]

Elizabeth Gutterson daughter of John and Abigail [Buckminster] g[utterson]

Abiall Austin Son of Thomas and hannah [Foster] Austin

Deborah phelps daughter of Samuel and Sarah [Chandler]

Mary Gray daughter of henery and Mary [Blunt] Gray was Born

Ruth Nichols daughter of Nicholice and Elizab—

Thomas Russ Son of Thomas and Anna [Farnum] Russ was

mehitabell Stiles daughter of Ebenezer and

hannah Smith daughter of Samuel and Sarah Smi—

Aaron osgood Son of hooker and dorathy [Woodman] osgood

Moses heigett son of mores and Martha [Granger] heige—

Benjamin Ballard son of Joseph and Rebecca—

## MARRIAGES. 1703.

Jan. 6. John Abbott and Elizabeth harndine were married by mr Thomas Barnard ye 6 day of January 1702-3

Ebenezer Steevens and Sarah Spreague were married By mr Thomas Barnard the 13 day of January 1702-3

John Loujoy and Bathsheba Blunt were married By mr Thomas Barnard ye 12 day of May 1703

Abraham Foster and mary Johnson were married By mr Thomas Barnard ye 29 of June 1703

Left. Thos. Johnson of Andover and dameris marshall of Bildrekey were married by Mr Thomas Barnard the 14 of July 1703

Thomas Baxby and deborah elkins were married ye 8 day of december by Mr Thomas Barnard 1703

## The "Merrimack Mutual."

The business longest and most familiarly identified with the old bank building, next to the Andover Bank, is the Merrimack Mutual Fire Insurance Company which from the very first had its office in the second story. The Company was incorporated by Act of the General Court passed Feb. 7, 1828, and approved by Gov. Levi Lincoln, Feb. 11. The original incorporators were Joseph Kittredge, Samuel Farrar, Nathaniel Swift, John Adams, Francis Kidder, Nathaniel Steevens, Amos Blanchard, Amos Spaulding, Hobart Clarke. We give below the agreement, dated five days later, which preceded the organization of the Company, knowing that our older readers will recall with interest the names of the prominent people of the town sixty years ago. The amounts, for convenience in printing, are omitted, but they vary from \$500 to \$5,000.

Andover, Feb. 16, 1826.

We the Subscribers owners of Buildings, Goods or household Furniture, anticipating the advantages which may arise to us from having such property secured against loss by fire upon just principles of insurance; and as an act of the General Court has been passed, incorporating a company by the name of Merrimack Mutual Fire Insurance Company, do hereby agree to join said Company and to effect a policy to the amount set against our respective names:

Mark Newman	Benj. Jenkins jr.
Daniel Wardwell	Nath'l Swift
Mark H. Newman	Timothy Flagg
Francis Kidder	Aaron D. Mayo
Skinner & Kidder	Benj. Lander
Samuel Needham	David Gray, jr.
John Flint	Jacob Farnham
Amos Abbott	Jona. Ingalls
Sam'l Farrar	Nath'l Berry
Amos Blanchard	Hobart Clark
James Locke	Thomas Kimball
Merrill Pettengill	Daniel Wardwell
Valpey & Richardson	Wm. Johnson, jr.
Joseph Cummings	Caleb Stevens
Caleb Swan	Levi Farnum
Reuben Frye	Isaac Osgood
Timothy Osgood	Isaac Osgood, jr.
Wm. Foster	Nath'l Stevens
David Gray	Bailey Loring
Thomas C. Foster	Moody Bridges
Elijah L. Herrick	Isaac Stevens
Ab'm Marland	Moses Foster
John Stanyan	Lydia Phillips
Jona. Merrill	John Adams 3rd

Ephraim Peabody  
David Holt  
Stephen Abbot  
Asa Abbot  
James Stevens  
A. J. Gould  
John Carlton, jr.  
Joseph Farnum  
Joseph Kittredge

Stephen Barker 2d  
Isaac Moor  
Timothy Foster  
Joseph Sibley  
Job Abbot  
Sam'l Phillips  
John Adams  
Jonathan Clement

From the early records of the new company we learn that its first meeting was held at James Locke's tavern (the "Hazen house"), Feb. 28, at three o'clock in the afternoon, to choose officers and establish by-laws. "Chose Hon. Hobart Clark, Moderator; Doct. Nathaniel Swift, Secretary; Doct. Joseph Kittredge, Hon. Hobart Clark, Cap. Nathaniel Steevens, Dea. Mark Newman, and Doct. Nathaniel Swift, Committee to draught By-laws." The committee reported at once, and their report was adopted. Twelve Directors were chosen: Doct. Joseph Kittredge, Hon. Hobart Clark, Cap'n Nathaniel Steevens, Mr. Ab'm Marland, Lt. Moses Foster, Dea. Amos Blanchard, Col. Moody Bridges, Doct. Nathaniel Swift, Mr. James Stevens 2d, Mr. John Flint, William Johnson, Jr., Esq., Cap'n Stephen Abbot. The Directors met the next day, chose Hon. Hobart Clark President, and Samuel Phillips, Esq., Secretary; it being voted that the latter should "be allowed the sum of forty cents for each policy, as a compensation for his services."

The early meetings of the directors were held at the house or at the office of Hobart Clark, the President, who then resided in the North Parish. On the 8th of April they "canvassed the applications for insurance, and assented" to about fifty, all the risks taken being apparently in the North and South Parishes of Andover, excepting Francis Kidder's houses in Billerica and Quincy. Skinner and Kidder's goods, \$4,000, head the list. The rates run from  $\frac{1}{4}$  of 1 per cent to 1 per cent. Among other places insured at this and succeeding meetings were A. D. Mayo's tavern house (the Elm House); Lydia Phillips's house, called Pierce House; Dea. Mark Newman's shop, \$200, his stock in book store, \$1700; Timothy Foster's store, \$300; Capt. Reuben Frye's red house and his small red house, etc.

At one of these meetings it was voted "that the Secretary visit the towns of Newbury, Beverly, Methuen and other neighboring places, for the purpose of ascertaining whether it will be expedient to extend insurance in those Towns"; also that he "advertise in the Newburyport Herald, Essex Gazette and Lowell Journal." A little later, Isaac Woodbury, Jr., Esq., of Beverly, Daniel Adams, Esq., of Newbury, Jesse Kimball, Esq., of Bradford, and Thomas Gage, Esq., of Rowley, were appointed agents for the company.

Mr. Phillips resigned the secretaryship after one year, and was succeeded by Samuel Merrill, who received by special vote 50 cents per policy in compensation for his services. He resigned in December, 1835, and Samuel Gray was chosen in his place. He held the office for nearly forty years, Joseph A. Smart succeeding him in January, 1875.

The first President of the company, Hobart Clark, held the position ten years. "Squire Merrill was then elected, and continued in office to the time of his death, Dec. 24, 1869, nearly thirty-two years. Nathan W. Hazen was chosen his successor, Jan. 10, 1870, and remained President five years. In 1875 Samuel Gray was elected, and served till his death, in 1880. William S. Jenkins was chosen in his place, and has since been annually re-elected.

Mr. James Spence has been head clerk in the office for twelve years, Mr. Smart having served as such until his election as Secretary and Treasurer. James A. Frazer has been second clerk for three years. J. Calvin Cochran was also clerk for the Company sometime previous to his death in 1877.

From a memorandum in the hand of Mr. Gray, we extract the following: "Previous to 1840, the books of the Company were kept in what purported to be an iron safe, which at this time was falling to pieces from rust and the tooth of time. This year a vault was constructed for the office of the Company, which with the room was rented to the Company for an annual rent of \$45 per year, which when compared with some of the city insurance palaces, would indicate economical expenditures on the part of the Company.

The enormous growth in the business of this company from its small beginnings in 1828 to the present time may best be seen from a comparison of figures. Samuel Phillips reported for that first year 110 policy-holders, and the total amount of property insured, \$213,925. In 1888, its sixtieth year, Secretary Smart reported the amount insured on policies issued during the year, as \$6,024,098, and the total amount of property insured in the Company as \$22,641,409. In 1862 the old style "mutual" plan of charging a premium just about enough to cover the average losses and the running expenses of the Company, making assessments when unusual losses occurred, was changed. The small annual dividend was discontinued, and a reserve fund allowed to accumulate. In 1872 the fund amounted to \$88,000, and a 40 per cent dividend was paid on five-year policies. In 1875, the dividend was 60 per cent, and since 1885 it has been 60 per cent (on five-year policies). The cash assets at the beginning of the current year were \$328,000. So that although all the founders and the first subscribers, whose names we have copied above, are dead, the advantages they anticipated from the use of "just principles of insurance" have been realized to an extent far beyond what they could have expected, and the "Merrimack Mutual" has become not only a source of pride to Andover, and a means of increasing mutual benefit to thousands of dwellers up and down the Merrimack, but one of the solid money institutions of the State.

## OF PUBLIC INTEREST.

Addresses at Centennial Service, Andover,  
April 30, 1889.

BY REV. J. V. STRATTON.

In the commemorative purpose to which we have dedicated this day we look back across a period of one hundred years to the thirtieth day of April, 1789. That was a memorable day in the history of our country. On that day George Washington was inaugurated the first President of the United States. On that day the practical formation of the American nation was accomplished, and the machinery of its government, as we are familiar with it to-day, was set in operation. On that day the people of the thirteen English colonies, which by the results of the war for independence were erected into thirteen sovereign states, presented themselves to the attention of the nations of the world as "the people of the United States," proud of their citizenship in one common nation, and rejoicing to invest the illustrious man of their choice with the honors and responsibilities of the high office of President. The day was fittingly given to religious and civic observances appropriate to the important duty appointed for it, as, after one hundred years, this anniversary is given to ceremonies of like character.

On that auspicious day, one hundred years ago, the capstone was laid in the national fabric, the erection of which in this Western continent, we cannot but believe, was pre-eminently of God. Then the work was brought to its complete form which was begun when, in the period from 1607 to 1683, the thirteen colonies stretching from Maine to Florida were successively settled. Then the results of nearly two centuries of contest with the forces of a primeval wilderness and of nurture in the forms and practice of liberty and self-government were realized.

It is interesting and instructive to note the fact that in the history of every people who have occupied an important place among the nations, or who have been the representatives of the advancement of our race, God has raised up and qualified suitable leaders for the times of greatest need. These times may have come at the beginning of the nation's history or at later periods. As in the history of God's ancient people, the Jews, a Moses and a David were at different emergencies the providential men, in the same manner the history of other nations shows the opportune production of leaders who have been able to seize occasions to promote the national welfare. In the history of our own land, the hour of destiny has struck twice, three quarters of a century apart,

and twice the man for the hour came to take up the duty of the hour—once in a Washington, next in a Lincoln.

The providential man for the time of our nation's birth was indisputably George Washington. He had many eminent forerunners, men whose work laid the foundation for his own, men whose services to their land deserve all praise. He had many fit coadjutors, who joined hand and heart with him in devotion to the cause of American liberty and the consummation of national union. But among the many, all worthy of renown, George Washington stands pre-eminent as the providential man of his time.

It is certain, so far as men can weigh possibilities, that the American colonies would not have achieved their independence but for Washington's services as Commander-in-chief of the armies. In the language of an address composed only a few years after the close of the war of the Revolution, "When America... was reduced to the necessity of appealing to arms to defend her natural and civil rights, a Washington was found fully adequate to the emergencies of the dangerous attempt; who by the philanthropy of his heart and prudence of his head led forth her untutored troops into the field of battle, and by the skillfulness of his hands baffled the projects of the insulting foe, and pointed out the road to independence, even at a time when the energy of the cabinet was not sufficient to bring into action the natural aid of the confederation from its respective sources." It was only the influence of Washington that prevented the jealousies and bickerings that rose from time to time from being fatal to the cause. The times demanded a leader of inflexible purpose, unconquerable fortitude in defeat, unwearied patience under trial, and the power of inspiring confidence, and even devotion, in his followers. Possessing these qualities, Washington led the colonies to the achievement of their independence.

It was not long after the peace of 1783 was concluded before experience fully demonstrated the weakness and inadequacy of the scheme of confederation that was then in operation among the thirteen states. The widespread demand for a re-arrangement of the system secured the calling of a Constitutional Convention in Philadelphia, in 1787, over which Washington, a delegate from Virginia, presided. The Constitution reported from that Convention for ratification by the several states was scrutinized suspiciously and attacked violently on many sides. The absence of a bill of rights as a part of the instrument, and the alleged tendency of the strengthened general government to drift into a monarchy were the most common objections to the Constitution. One religious body confessed that its members "had unusual strugglings of mind, fearing that the liberty of conscience (dearer to them than property or life) was not sufficiently secured." Other objections arose, in several places, which were owing to local conditions. So much in the proposed scheme was repugnant to the cherished political principles of the people of the several states, so much seemed to them to open the road to political peril and disaster, that, while the people sighed for a truly national government, there seemed to be absolutely no likelihood that this plan would be accepted. Well has this juncture been called a critical period in American history. Washington himself, and others, avowed that the action of the states upon the Constitution submitted to them would be either union or anarchy. It is the unqualified judgment of those best versed in this stage of the political development of the nation that the personal influence of Washington, the knowledge that Washington approved of the work of the Constitutional Convention,—so absolute was the people's confidence in him,—allayed the prevalent distrust, and secured that consent to it which made it the Constitution of the United States, the supreme law of the land.

It remained to set the new machinery in operation. It has been said the office of President had been "cut to fit the measure of George Washington," and no one thought of any other person for it. He was unanimously chosen to that office, and assumed its duties April 30th, 1789, one hundred years ago to-day. We are accustomed to cite the survival of the

Continued on page 8.



## Summary of Daily News.

FRIDAY, MAY 3.

Presidential appointments resumed: among them Carter B. Harrison of Tennessee, a brother of the President, a Union soldier, and for several years in Government service; to be U. S. Marshall in Tennessee.

Sir Julian Pauncfote, the new British Minister, presented to the President, with the usual formalities, by the Secretary of State.

Kentucky. Feeble-minded Institute at Frankfort burned; all the inmates safely removed.

High License Bill, supported by the friends of temperance, defeated in the Missouri Senate.

Destructive hail-storm in Warsaw, N. C.; Presbyterian church and many other buildings demolished.

SATURDAY, MAY 5.

A \$100,000 fire in Chicago, and Opera House in Hazelton, Iowa, burned. Forest fires in Wisconsin and Andover, N. H. Vesuvius in a state of eruption.

A nine years' old boy in Newport, R. I., while hanging on behind a carriage, has his leg caught in the wheel, and wrenched off; he will probably die.

News at San Francisco of terrible hurricane at the Society Islands, simultaneous with that at Samoa; every tree on the island of Tahiti torn from the earth.

SUNDAY, MAY 6.

French centenary celebration begins.

The holy day is singularly full of disaster and crime and trouble. At Bangor, a part of the "Bangor House" is burned, caused by a servant dropping a match on the floor of the oil room. The boarders all escape.

An explosion and fire at Laporte, Ind.; burns up 20 freight cars, 16 ice houses, and 26,000 tons of ice.

Explosion in iron foundry at Manchester, N. H., demolishes the building.

Railroad collision on Northern Pacific in Dakota; engineer and postal clerk killed; others badly injured.

A husband shoots his young wife in Albany and then himself; the surgeon of the steamship City of Berlin at Jersey City commits suicide by morphine; an insane young machinist in Chicago murders his young child and attempts to murder himself; an Academy principal in Hanover, Ill., assassinated by a young man; the Mayor of Covington, Tenn., shot by a negro he was attempting to arrest; a riot, in which two men were killed, in New Jersey, where the Raritan River Railroad attempts to lay a track across a man's land without his permission.

MONDAY, MAY 6.

"Regulators" in Lafayette, La., surround the Court-house, and prevent negroes from voting.

Ex-President Cleveland's famous seal-brown horses, together with his carriages, etc., sold at auction at Washington.

St. Vincent Orphan Asylum, Vincennes, Ind., destroyed by fire; all the children escape but Sister Bridget severely burned.

Albert W. Parker steps from a moving train at Haverhill and badly injured.

A farmer, 80 years old, struck by a passenger train at Northampton, his horses killed and himself thrown high in air, but coming down without serious injury.

TUESDAY, MAY 7.

Frank Palmer of Chicago appointed Public Printer. Theodore Roosevelt of New York and Hugh S. Thompson of South Carolina appointed on the Civil Service Commission.

Supreme Court of New Hampshire decides in favor of the Boston, Concord & Montreal R. R. in suit to recover possession of its line from the Boston & Maine.

Death of Count Tolstoi, the distinguished Russian author and reformer, reported from St. Petersburg.

Hon. W. W. Crapo of New Bedford consents to be a candidate for the gubernatorial nomination.

Libby Prison wrecked in Kentucky en route from Richmond to Chicago, on a freight train.

New passenger elevator tested at Providence, the cable being cut and the eleva-

tor falling five stories to show the safety of the descent; the agent of the manufacturers, the superintendent of construction, and a newspaper reporter on board—the former killed, the others badly injured.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8.

A street car in Kalamazoo run into by a switch engine, and six persons killed, all ladies of the city.

Car derailed at Cleveland; two persons killed, four seriously hurt.

Village of Moreland, in suburbs of Chicago, nearly destroyed by fire; 70 families homeless.

Village of Elba, Minn., also destroyed, the fire originating from the prairie fires.

Inman steamer, City of Paris, arrives in New York; time from Queenstown to Sandy Hook, 5 days, 23 hours, 7 minutes; quickest passage on record.

Count Tolstoi of Russia, whose death was reported yesterday, was not the author, but "another man."

A Scotch-Irish convention at Columbia, Tenn.

Destructive cyclone in Stafford County, Kansas; several persons killed, and many injured.

## Various News Items.

New York had great expectations financially in connection with the "Centennial," but it is said that the only persons who made anything out of it were the hotels, railroads and livery stables, and those who had doors and windows to let or liquors to sell. At the great ball there was no prohibition on the provision of "hygienic tonics" to the guests, and the result was disgraceful for patriots to contemplate.

As our Centennial ends, that of France begins. The celebration began there on Sunday, naturally enough—although Boston cannot rebuke Paris, with Governor Ames's public journey to Boston the Sabbath before fresh in mind. President Carnot went to Versailles on that day, the one hundredth anniversary of the meeting of the States-General there, May 5, 1789, which was the beginning of the French Revolution. That terrible revolution though doubtless inspired by ours, did not end like ours. There was no Washington in France to lead it.

On Monday, the great Exposition was opened with a magnificent characteristic of Paris, the President making a patriotic address and touching the electric buttons which set in motion the vast machinery and started the numerous fountains. None of the monarchies of Europe would allow their diplomatic representatives to appear officially, but they were there all the same. And so the grand Paris Exposition, rivaling the Philadelphia Exhibition of 1876, is fairly open. Of its glories, the papers will henceforth be talking all summer. Its Eiffel Tower, 1000 feet high, certainly surpasses anything we could show to the visitors at our Centennial Exhibition.

The House has passed a bill making it unlawful for any person under 18 years of age to be employed in the running of a freight or passenger elevator, under the penalty of not less than \$25 nor more than \$100.

The Superior Court (criminal term) sat at Newburyport Monday morning, but did not sit long. Owing to the alleged want of court facilities, adjournment was made to Salem. The Newburyport bar, press, and people are very indignant about it.

Bishop Keane of the new Roman Catholic University at Washington who has been to Europe to get professors for it, has just returned, having been very successful in securing distinguished scholars as incumbents of the various chairs. There is some interest expressed by thoughtful men as to the influence which such ecclesiastics, trained and imbued with the notions of monarchical Europe and the supremacy of the Pope, will have among the free institutions of America, where men think for themselves.

## Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

## Lawrence Hardware Co.

## Garden Seeds,

## Carpenters' Machinists'

## and Agricultural

## TOOLS

582 &amp; 584 ESSEX STREET,

J. Q. A. BATCHELDER.

J. M. SMITH.

## JOHN PRAY,

## Livery and Boarding Stable

Main Street, Andover, Mass.

## G. C. LYLE,

## CHOICE CONFECTIONERY, CIGARS, ETC.

Patent Ink Capsules, sufficient in each for a half pint of ink.  
All Colors, 10 Cents Each.

## GEORGE H. PARKER,

## DRUGGIST AND APOTHECARY,

DRAPER'S BLOCK,  
MAIN STREET, ANDOVER, MASS.  
Prescriptions accurately prepared.

## T. J. FARMER,

DEALER IN

Fresh, Salt, Smoked, and Pickled Fish, Oysters,  
Clams, and Lobsters.

No. 3 Central St., opposite Baptist Church.



## KENNELLY &amp; SYLVESTER,

—DEALERS IN—

Pianos and Organs,  
SHEET MUSIC

—AND—

## Musical Merchandise.

Old pianos taken in exchange for new ones. Pianos and Organs for sale or to rent and sold on installments. Tuning and Repairing. Orders by mail promptly attended to. Catalogue sent on application.

## Kennelly &amp; Sylvester,

256 ESSEX STREET,

LAWRENCE, MASS.

REOPENS MONDAY, Sept. 3.

## CANNON'S

## Commercial College,

586 Essex St., Lawrence, Mass.

All studies pertaining to



thoroughly taught.

## REFERENCES:

HON. A. B. BRUCE,  
Ex-Mayor of Lawrence.

HON. J. R. SIMPSON,  
Ex-Mayor of Lawrence.

HON. C. C. CLOSSON,  
Of firm of Pedrick and Closson.

MR. JOHN N. COLE,  
Of this Paper.

## C. B. MASON,

## Carpenter &amp; Builder,

ANDOVER.

Shop, Seminary Hill.

Residence, Bartlett Street.

## J. P. WAKEFIELD,

## Meat and Provisions.

all Orders Promptly filled

Shop, Abbott Village, Andover.

## LADIES' DYES

Do Your Own Dyeing, at Home.  
They will dye everything. They are sold every-  
where. Price 10c. a package. They have no equal  
for Strength, Brightness, Amount in Packages  
or for Fastness of Color, or non-fading Qualities.  
They do not croak or smut; 40 colors. For sale by  
ARTHUR BLISS, DRUGGIST.

## MERRIMACK

## Mutual Fire Insurance Co.,

ANDOVER, MASS.

Incorporated 1828.

This Company continues to insure Dwellings, Barns, and their Contents, and Store Buildings at fair rates, and is now paying dividends as follows:

60 per cent on five-year policies.

40 per cent on three-year policies.

25 per cent on one-year policies.

Wm. S. JENKINS, Pres.

J. A. SMART, Sec.

## Glen Mills Breadstuffs.

Among their specialties are

## GOLDEN CORN MEAL,

made from the very best pure yellow corn, thoroughly cleansed, ground and bolted by a process peculiar to this mill. It distances all other bolted meals in the market in sweetness and flavor.

## ENTIRE WHEAT FLOUR

is made from selected, choice, ripe wheat, the grain first having been thoroughly cleaned, scoured and brushed, the woody fibre discarded, the inner brand retained, and the whole reduced to a uniform fineness by a process peculiar to our own mills. Every effort of the mind or movement of the muscle involves the waste of nervous energy and vitality; we must build up our systems by those elements which will replace those wastes. Chemical analysis shows us that waste flour cannot do this, as the best part of the wheat is sacrificed for the sake of the color.

## GLEN MILLS ENTIRE WHEAT FLOUR

contains all the elements of the wheat, stored there by our Creator for our use.

Those preferring a coarse Graham should use the

## Glen Mills True Wheat Meal

the best wheat meal in the market.

## GLEN MILLS NEW PROCESS RYE MEAL,

is made from the best quality of White Rye, which before it comes from the mills is thoroughly cleaned from all impurities, so that nothing comes to the reducing mills but plump, sound rye, as clean as washing can make it. One five pound package of our rye meal will convince you of its merits.

## WHITE CORN MEAL.

CRACKED WHEAT,

YELLOW HOMINY,

RYE WHEAT,

GRANULATED WHEAT.

are among our other goods.

See that the name GLEN MILLS is on every package. For sale in five pound packages, barrels and half-barrels.

BY

J. H. CAMPION &amp; CO.,

T. A. HOLT &amp; CO.,

SMITH &amp; MANNING.

When buying a package of any of the Glen Mills Goods ask for a circular of receipts.

## N. N. DUMMER,

ROWLEY, MASS.

## GEO. W. CHANDLER,

DEALER IN

## COAL and WOOD.

Teaming and Job Work done

at short notice.

Orders left and Bills payable at  
Store of J. H. CHANDLER

## C. H. BREEN,

## Carriage and Sign Painter,

Wheelwright and Carriage Trimming,

PARK STREET, ANDOVER, MASS.

## JOHN H. SOEHRENS,

## Shaving &amp; Hair-cutting,

DEAN'S BUILDING,

MAIN STREET, ANDOVER.

## S. K. JOHNSON,

## Real Estate Agent.

The Purchase, Sale, and Lease of Real Estate in Andover and vicinity carefully looked after, on reasonable terms.

Residence,

MAIN ST., ANDOVER.

## M. T. WALSH,

Successor to WILLIAM BARNETT,

## DEALER IN STOVES, RANGES, Etc.

AND MANUFACTURER OF

## Tin and Sheet-Iron Ware.

No. 8 Essex Street,

ANDOVER, MASS.



## THE ANDOVER TOWNSMAN,

ANDOVER, MASS.

PUBLISHED EVERY FRIDAY

## THE ANDOVER PRESS (limited).

Subscription price, \$2.00 per year, in advance. Single copies 5 cents.

Advertising rates sent on application.

C. C. CARPENTER, Editor,  
to whom all correspondence for the paper should be addressed.

A thoroughly fitted STEAM JOB PRINTING OFFICE is connected with the TOWNSMAN, and all orders in this department will receive prompt and careful attention.

All BUSINESS COMMUNICATIONS should be addressed to

JOHN N. COLE, Treasurer.

The Offices of the TOWNSMAN are in Draper's Block,  
36 & 38 MAIN STREET.

Editor's Office, Room 2, first floor. Business Office with the Andover Book Store.

Entered as 2nd-Class Matter at Andover Post-Office.

## THE TOWNSMAN for Andover News.

## THE ESSEX EAGLE for Lawrence News.

By a special arrangement with the publishers of the Lawrence Weekly Eagle, we are able to offer to the TOWNSMAN subscribers, the Weekly Eagle for 50cts. per year or both the Townsman and Eagle one year, for \$2.50. Specimen copies of either paper may be obtained by addressing the TOWNSMAN.

FRIDAY MAY 10, 1889.

## New Advertisements, Pages 1 and 5.

H. M. Hayward, Ice.  
Situation as a Domestic.  
Conant & Co., at Mansion House.  
H. S. Wright, Practical Plumber.  
Cochichewick Lake Ice.  
Sale of the Dalaud Estate.  
Bicknell Bros.  
Pedrick and Closson, Real Estate.  
C. H. Shattuck, Real Estate.  
S. K. Johnson, Real Estate.  
B. F. Holt, Ice.

## CONTENTS OF INSIDE PAGES.

AULD LANG-SYNE: Old Andover Records; The "Merrimack Mutual."  
OF PUBLIC INTEREST: Rev. J. V. Stratton's Centennial Address at Andover. Prof. John Phelps Taylor's Address; From Bishop Potter's Address; From Mr. Depew's Oration; From President Harrison's Remarks; A Centennial Prayer; Whittier's Poem.  
BOOKS AND READING: Century.  
NEWS SUMMARY: The Diary; Various Notes; Towns Around us.  
SUNDAY NEWS AND NOTES.

The news would seem like the weather, dull and dry—although that last adjective must not apply to cities like Lawrence which begin the beautiful month of May with open saloons. It does apply with terrible emphasis to the Northwest, where prairie fires and forest fires have made disastrous havoc with life and homes, in some instances sweeping away whole villages.

All that seems to be left of the "great Centennial" at New York, is the newspaper gossip—most of it, alas! too true—about the utterly disgraceful scenes connected with the lack of good management and supply of free champagne at the Metropolitan Opera Banquet. What would George Washington, with his stern notions of duty and dignity, have said to such exhibitions of riot and revelry?

And now General Butler and Admiral Porter are having a lively scrimmage about the capture of New Orleans, the anniversary of which was celebrated last week by the first named warrior in a Boston banquet. The General charged the Admiral with cowardice, and the Admiral denies the aspersion with much spirit, and intimates that the General would not have made it except at an after-dinner speech. Butler retorts, "Porter can't tell the truth anyway. This matter is going to be settled once for all, and I'm going to settle it." Porter replies, "He must not accuse me of running away when there was any fighting going on. I do not come from that kind of stock." Gen. Sherman very sensibly "regrets the revival of camp-fire stories, especially just at this centennial time. These things ought to be dropped."

As a Centennial comes only once in a hundred years, we give up a good portion of our inside pages this week to centennial addresses, giving extracts from those at New York and printing entire those in our own service at Andover, Rev. Messrs. Stratton and Taylor having kindly furnished us with their notes. Many who heard these Andover addresses will be glad of the opportunity to read them, as will also our Andover readers in the year 1889—for we know that bi-centennial antiquarians will arise at that time and search out what their grandfathers said in that long, long ago year of 1889! We reprint in full also our own poet's tribute—it sounds more sweet and grand every time it is read.

Right in among Andover news of to-day will be found an original communication, which though signed "Saleratus," is quite spicy!

A prominent citizen said the morning after the last issue of the TOWNSMAN: It is *Lo versus Cuffee* in the ice business." A third party now enters the arena and contends for the unqualified, unsurpassed, unparalleled purity and excellence of the historic and romantic Shawsheen. If the weather becomes as hot to-day, as threatened at this writing, we advise our readers to seek relief in our Ice Department on the first page.

## ANDOVER NEWS.

For other Andover News, see Pages 1 and 8.

The hot weather of this week is pushing forward vegetation with remarkable rapidity. The greenest of grass, the yellowest of dandelions, the bluest of violets, the sweetest of apple-blossoms, the fullest foliage—Andover will soon be arrayed in all its glory. But oh, the dust! For that there is no help till the Water System is established. Hurry up, ye town fathers, and give us the town meeting to elect the Commissioners.

The electric light contract has been signed, to cover the period of two years. Estimates are under consideration for putting up the Company's buildings on their lot.

The Senate passed to be engrossed on Monday the House bill to authorize the town of Andover to make an additional water loan.

Those who are to have the electric light in their houses will be interested to learn that an electric meter for registering the electric current furnished for lighting purposes or for power has been at last perfected, and it is confidently believed, will accomplish the object so long sought.

The Assessors have begun their gracious and popular work of telling the inhabitants of the town how much they are worth. Selectman Stark with characteristic promptness and energy has not only begun but finished his visitation.

One hundred and twenty-three dogs have paid their taxes thus far. What a happy town Andover is for the dogs. At Norwood, the selectmen have ordered all dogs to stay at home for 60 days, on account of a case of rabies in the town.

Thursday morning the young ladies of Abbot Academy enjoyed a very pleasant hour with Mrs. Calliope Vaitse who told of her school and home life in Broosa, Constantinople and Athens.

About eight years ago, Miss Olive Twitchell, a graduate of the class of '76, went to teach in the Mission school at Broosa, where Mrs. Vaitse, a Greek girl, was then a pupil.

Miss Twitchell, by her earnest, faithful work, won the love and confidence of the girls and was able to do much for their good. They became much interested in her Alma Mater and Mrs. Vaitse seemed very happy to be in the school of which she had heard and to which she owes so much.

After her marriage, her home was in Athens, near Mars Hill, until three years ago when they came to America, where Mr. Vaitse is studying with the purpose of returning to Greece as an evangelist. Mrs. Vaitse is a charming speaker and both what she told and her manner of telling was exceedingly interesting. It is to be hoped that many may have the privilege of hearing her. Her address is 53 Fulton St., Lowell, Mass.

Dr. Daniel C. Green's course of lectures on Japan Missions, closing to-day at the Seminary, have proved of great interest, and have been well attended.

Wm. P. Connell met with a singular accident the other day, while running after a horse, a "floating cartilage," so called, near the knee-joint, getting out of place. He will be laid up for some time.

## "Saleratus" on the Temperance Question.

Mr. Editor: "The prayer of Ajax was for light." Following in the footsteps of my illustrious predecessor, I respectfully request illumination on several points in an article which appeared last week in the TOWNSMAN, under the signature of the distinguished theologian and preacher, Dr. J. P. Gulliver.

"Prohibitory law," he says, "must be a precise re-enactment of God's law." Why? Has that been the usage heretofore in law-making? Have we usually dispensed with laws until they are, by common consent, faithful, complete copies of the Divine law? Must we, do we, wait for perfect laws—against all other forms of evil? If not, why single out the prohibitory law in requiring perfection? Fortunately, the writer of the article is well known to be an advocate of temperance, else excessive scrupulousness respecting this particular law might be unfortunately construed.

Now, Mr. Editor, I learn that some of the housekeepers are perturbed because they fancy the article in view contains insinuations respecting their bread and steaks. But if any such aspersions were intended, the ladies must pardon the Professor, who is a comparatively new comer amongst us, and may not be aware that the annals of our elect ladies are clean against him on that score. Almost without exception, those who have extended their realm beyond the kitchen stove into the departments of education and evangelization, both at home and abroad, have been also notable housekeepers. Every page in the TOWNSMAN might be filled with illustrations; but for this time let it suffice to offer in refutation the name of Mary H. Cornelius.

Was any slur intended upon the members of the W.C.T.U.? I can answer, from personal knowledge of the leaders of the Andover branch, that they are above reproach in that line of duty. If the men of Andover, and those connected with our higher institutions of learning not excepted, had shown half the zeal in local moral reform, had been half as painstaking and persistent promoters of temperance, or given a tithe of the time devoted by these women to practical work here in Andover for the amelioration both of "feminine incompetence" and of "masculine violence," they might have a better right than they now can claim to write for the press open or covert sneers at women's Christian work.

By the way, why was it necessary for the "W's" to form societies? Why are the "M's" in the rear with their guilds?

Yours respectfully,  
SALERATUS.

## Phillips Academy Notes.

A class of about a hundred boys is taking a course of fine lectures upon the memory, and how to strengthen and use it. The lecturer, Dr. Pick, well known as a writer upon the subject, is a German by birth but has lived for sometime in England, and comes well recommended by many, among them Dr. Edward Thring, head Master of Uppingham School, recently introduced to Americans through a very interesting article in the *Century Magazine*, copied in the TOWNSMAN last season.

On Saturday the ball nine went to Lawrence and defeated the Stars in a fine game by a score of 7 to 6. Mr. Hannon with his tallyho coach and four, made quite an imposing sight bringing home the victorious team.

On Wednesday a game was played on the Academy campus against a nine from Melrose, which was easily defeated, 7 to 1.

The usual spring tournament will occur June 1, somewhat earlier than usual, in order to give the winners time to train for the contest with Exeter which comes about the middle of the month.

A few days after the death of the late Herbert K. Bowers, a classmate of his in the Scientific Department of the Academy, graduating in 1876, William Wolcott, died in Manchester, Ct. Some here will remember him. He was a physician.

Dr. Bancroft's letters have reported the progress of his tour from Beirut via Cyprus, Rhodes, Smyrna, to Athens where he spent Palm Sunday, and Constantinople where he was at Easter. A cablegram was received from him on Monday at Vienna.

Mr. R. A. Woods of the Advanced Class of the Seminary has been appointed business agent for the Andover Review.

The entertainment and sale at Christ church chapel on Tuesday evening was a great success, both socially and financially, the money proceeds realized being about \$200, and the pleasure given not to be estimated in figures. The Phillips Glee Club furnished capital music, as they always do. "The old gray goose," by Messrs. Morgau, Farwell, and Bayley was finely done, and created great amusement. Mrs. Kintz read two pieces, chosen with her usual good taste. The Victor Banjo Club delighted the audience with their fine playing. The musical tableau, "Colchette," by Mr. French and Miss Bessie Abbott, was received with great applause. The unique feature of the evening was the tableau of "Sir Peter and Lady Teazle," which was most admirably executed by Master Aleck Craighead and little Miss Clara Thomson. It was a most beautiful picture. The doll's drill in the afternoon was well attended and greatly enjoyed not only by the dolls, and the drillers, and the little folks who like dolls, but by everybody else.

The entertainment of the Shawsheen Council of the Home Circle, held Monday evening at the Town Hall, was very fully attended, the larger portion of the audience being ladies. Frank H. Baldwin, Chairman of the Committee of Arrangements, presided, and the programme presented was varied and excellent. Mrs. J. W. Dickey of Boston and Miss Fannie Meldrum of Andover each read selections, and received hearty applause. Geo. A. Tyler sang twice—it is superfluous to say that he sang well. A trio, consisting of Arthur W. White, David Shaw, and Albert L. Hulme, contributed fine pieces on the violin, piano and cornet. Speeches, wise and witty, were made by Grand Secretary E. B. Noyes and Fred C. Ingalls, Esq., of Boston, and by Hon. William N. Davenport of Marlboro, Senator from the 4th Middlesex District. A "Good Night Song" finely rendered by Misses Clara M. Bell and Maggie Lindsay, John W. Bell and David S. Lindsay, closed the exercises. The affair was in every way a pleasant and successful one, and will have the effect of calling popular attention to the advantages of joining the Home Circle, which stands high in the list of our associations of mutual help.

Mr. Samuel F. Woodbridge, a well known resident in the Holt district, near the North Andover line, was found dead in his house, where he lived alone, last Saturday. As he had not been seen for a few days, John B. Jenkins went there, accompanied by Mr. Woodbridge's nephews, Perley and Herbert Woodbridge, and effected an entrance. The poor man, who had been in feeble health for some time, was found lying on the floor, where he had evidently fallen in extreme exhaustion or in a fit. He had evidently been dead about two days. His age was 65 years. He was buried from the vestry of the South church, Sunday afternoon, Rev. J. J. Blair officiating.

Mrs. John W. Auty who has resided for several years at Lawrence, died at the house of her aunt, Mrs. Hurst, in Marland Village, on Sunday, at the age of 28. Rev. Mr. Palmer of Christ church attended her funeral at Mrs. Hurst's house on Tuesday afternoon. The burial was at Bellevue Cemetery, Lawrence.

The ladies of the Seaman's Friend Society recently sent a barrel containing table linen, bedding, and wearing apparel, together with two carpets, to a home missionary family in Michigan who were burned out last December. The whole was valued at \$97.

## Frye Village.

Temperature taken at 6 A. M.		
May 3, Friday,	48°	dull
4, Saturday,	40	clear
5, Sunday,	47	clear
6, Monday,	44	clear
7, Tuesday,	50	dull
8, Wednesday,	44	dull
9, Thursday,	55	clear

Mr. John Bracket of Dover was visiting his son Walter, last Sunday.

Mr. Charles H. Bell, Jun. spent last Sunday visiting at Reading.

Mrs. Albert D. Cate of Wakefield has been spending a few days with Miss Emma Thompson.

The auction sale of real estate takes place (to-morrow) Saturday at 2 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark and children of Malden were visiting at Mr. Joshua H. Stott's, last Saturday.

Mrs. Robert Millar and child arrived here Tuesday evening from Dundee, Scotland.

A telegram was received last week from Chicago, by Mrs. William Mitchell of Lawrence, informing her of the death of her sister Mrs. Moses Milnes who lately lived in our village, and was well known by many in town. Mrs. Mitchell and her two children sailed for Scotland last Saturday.

Mr. Jacob Haupt left here last Saturday for New York to visit his father.

Mr. A. E. Cross of the Seminary conducted the services in the hall last Sunday evening, his subject being, Love of God and Love of Country, Gen. 12: 1, 2, 3.

Miss Margaret Ritchie is at home having a two weeks' vacation.

The fire-engine company of the Smith and Dove Mfg Co. held their usual monthly practice last Saturday.

## BALLARDVALE

Mrs. Benj. Harrison returned this week from Saugus, where she has been staying for some time for her health.

The many friends of D. H. Poor will be pleased to know that he is convalescing.

The Gun Club held an extremely unsatisfactory shoot last Saturday with the poorest scores of the season. Hoffman and Sleath tied on first, Townsend, second.

Mrs. Henry Isler has returned from a visit to New York.

We regret to report that the shoddy mill of Warren Stetson and Co., which has been in operation in the old hat shop for some time, has closed up its business here. It is understood that the business was profitable and on a sound basis, but lack of sufficient water for their purposes was the cause of their removal. This is a light, roomy shop equipped with good power facilities and shafting, and it would seem as though someone might start something here and make it run.

The Athletics played their first game of the season Saturday afternoon, meeting the Athletics of Methuen. Our club played a loose game throughout, due to lack of practice. Their opponents are well known as a strong team having players not unknown in the New England League. Several good plays were made, however, by the home team, and they will be in better form in a week or two without a doubt. The score was 16 to 18 in favor of the visitors. Tomorrow they will say "Hello" to the Centrals of Lawrence on our grounds.

J. Fred Bovers has been in town this week.

Miss Maggie Robertson has gone on a trip to Providence, R. I.

The Young People's Society of the Methodist church has been reorganized and will be known as the Young People's League, and will be an auxiliary of the State League.

P. V. Joyce has opened the store lately occupied by A. J. Webster, and will carry a line of vegetables, fruits, etc.

W. F. Parker has moved into the Richardson house vacated by A. Rene, on Chester St.

Thos. Waldron is working in Boston at his trade.

W. P. Parker has brought home from the east two horses to replace those sold by him.

Dr. Shattuck has his soda fountain running for the season, and is receiving good patronage.

Mr. H. F. Wilson has bought of Jos. W. Smith the double house on Andover St. now occupied by John De Seve and Mrs. Robertson.

Officer Dugan was called on to shoot a vicious dog belonging to Thos. Dailey, this week. The dog bit a young daughter of Mr. Dailey's in the hand.

The annual meeting and election of officers of the J. P. Bradley No. 2 S. F. E. Co. was held Monday evening. Elmer H. Shattuck was unanimously elected foreman; Anton Tiech, ass't foreman; C. W. Thwing, clerk; Henry Clukey, treasurer; J. H. Clinton, steward; and Messrs. Murray Schleyer and Simpson, standing committee. Elmer Mears was elected a new member.

Mr. Herbert Goff for two or three years paymaster and bookkeeper for the Craighead & Kintz Mfg Co. has accepted a good position with a jobbing house in baker's supplies, Boston, and has entered on his duties this week. H. A. Ramsdell succeeds him.

Chas. Schleyer employed in the polishing room of the Craighead & Kintz Mfg Co. had a narrow escape from a serious accident Wednesday morning. In the course of his work he stepped backward, and his foot was instantly drawn into a belt running at high speed over a neighboring pulley. He was carried home by friends. On examination it was found that beyond wrenching the cords of the leg badly, he was uninjured. A remarkable escape considering that the shock was sufficient to tear a heavy lathe from its fastenings, and threw a large driving belt from the pulley.



## NORTH ANDOVER.

Bijou concert this evening.

Dr. F. E. Weil has offered a medal for the prize contest of the Dennett Sword Corps, Lawrence, that is to occur in the Old Battery building, May 29.

The Roundabout Club met with Mrs. John Elliott, Tuesday afternoon; the next meeting will occur at the home of Miss Minnie Phillips, May 14; at the home of Miss Florence Kimball, at the Centre, May 21.

The Teachers' Club will meet this afternoon at the close of the school session.

At the Missionary Concert at the Congregational church, Sunday evening, Mrs. H. H. Leavitt and Mrs. Moses Merrill gave interesting reports of the meeting of the Ladies Missionary Society at Stoneham, last week.

The annual meeting of the Eben Sutton S.F.E. Co. was held in the engine house Monday evening, and the following were elected officers for the year: foreman, Mr. John Burnham; ass't foreman, Mr. F. A. Coan; clerk, Mr. John F. Kirk; treasurer, Mr. Martin Pulsifer. Standing committee, Messrs. Geo. Rextrow, Horace E. Towne, Wm. K. Johnson. The following recommendations were made to the Engineers: for engineer, Mr. Enos S. Robinson; assistant engineer, Mr. Horace E. Towne; fireman, Mr. Martin H. Pulsifer. Messrs. Geo. H. Mizen and D. W. Sutcliffe were elected to the places made vacant by the resignations of Geo. I. Smith and John T. Wiswell.

The young men who have charge of the Calico Ball in Odd Fellows' Hall, Friday evening, will endeavor to make it one of the best. Colby's Orchestra will furnish the music. Tickets, 50 cents.

Our newly appointed board of Fire Engineers held a meeting in the Eben Sutton engine house Monday, April 29 and organized with the choice of the following: chief engineer, Mr. Geo. I. Smith; first assistant, Mr. Amos E. Hazleton; clerk of the board, Mr. John E. Ingalls.

Permission has been granted to the N. A. Cricket Club to use the field near the Odd Fellows building for its games this year, and the crease used last year will, after a few slight changes, be used the coming season. A game has been arranged to be played July 4, in town, between the local club and a club from Lowell. The meetings are well attended and the club is in good trim.

The North Andover Rifles usher in the season next Thursday evening, May 16, and will hold a strawberry festival and grand promenade concert in their armory. The usual refreshments of ice-cream, confectionery, etc. are to be for sale. A good time may be expected. Music by the Bijou Orchestra. Admission, 15 cents. Promenade starts about 8 o'clock.

Funeral services over the remains of the late Jeremiah S. Field, conducted by Rev. H. H. Leavitt, were held at the home, Main St., Monday afternoon, at 1.30 o'clock. Released from suffering the body lay in a costly cloth-covered casket surrounded by many choice floral emblems, the last tributes of affection and esteem. The remains were taken to Cambridge Tuesday morning and interred in Mt. Auburn cemetery, beside those of his wife. Messrs. Herbert W. Field, Albert Field, of South Newmarket, E. D. Searls, of Milford, N. H., and Hon. N. P. Frye, were the bearers.

Private Babb of the North Andover Rifles secured a meerschau pipe as a prize of good marksmanship at the Bazaar of Battery C, Lawrence, Tuesday evening.

The adjourned meeting of St. Paul's Parish occurred Tuesday evening. Mr. Charles H. Robinson was elected to the office of Treasurer, and Miss Bessie M. Shepard was officially appointed organist. A meeting of the vestrymen will be held soon to supply a vacancy.

A Young People's Christian League was practically organized Monday evening at the Methodist church. Rev. Mr. Hodge was chosen president, Miss Mary Stone, vice president, Frank W. Abbott, secretary, J. Manton Wright, treasurer. Another meeting will be held Monday evening to perfect the organization.

About 30 members of the N. A. Rifles in command of Lieut. Weil attended the Bazaar of Battery C, Lawrence, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Charles E. Ward is now prepared to make dresses and cloaks at her home on School St. All work done in first class style.

The following officers were elected at the annual meeting of Cochichewick Engine Co. Tuesday evening: foreman, Wm. Ward,

jr.; clerk, John Crowther; first assistant, Wm. J. Stewart; second assistant, B. G. Flynn; steward, Wm. J. Tooke; standing committee, Geo. A. Towne, John Herbert, Patrick Brennan. Messrs. J. J. Dooling, John Stanley, and Orrin Fish were admitted as members. Messrs. Ralph Coleman, W. S. Roundy, jr., and Thomas Ryan receiving their discharge.

The Ladies' Benevolent Society of the Congregational church met at the home of the President, Mrs. S. H. Furber, Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Joseph H. Stone left town Monday, to be absent a few weeks in Sanbornton, N. H.

At the meeting of the Memorial Day Committee in the Selectmen's Office, Friday evening, the vote whereby it was decided not to have the exercises in Stevens Hall was reconsidered, it having been made manifest to the committee that it would be more satisfactory generally to have the exercises there, and in accordance with that view, Rev. H. H. Leavitt has been selected to deliver a public oration on that day. The special committees gave reports of progress.

Mr. A. V. Chalk has been excused from serving as juror during the present term of the Superior Court.

A number of the members of Cochichewick Lodge F. A. M., attended the banquet of Tuscan Lodge, Lawrence, Monday evening.

A gathering consisting of three delegates from each of the following societies connected with the Congregational church met in the vestry Wednesday evening, to make arrangements for the annual supper: Ladies' Benevolent Society, Ladies' Missionary Society, Young People's Literary and Social Society, and the Young People's Society. Mr. David Kinley was chosen chairman, Mr. Andrew McLean secretary, and Mrs. S. H. Furber treasurer. The meeting resolved into the following committees: soliciting, Mrs. Wm. J. Halliday, Mrs. Moses Merrill, Mrs. Andrew J. Barker, Mrs. Chadwick, Miss Lucy Kimball, Mrs. A. G. Rea, Mrs. Wm. Wooley, Mrs. Baxter, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Nichol. Invitation, Rev. H. H. Leavitt, Mr. David Kinley, Mr. F. W. Frisbee, Hon. N. P. Frye. Decoration, tables, music, reception: Rev. H. H. Leavitt, F. W. Frisbee, David Kinley, Andrew McLean, Thomas Robinson. Programme: Rev. H. H. Leavitt. The ladies of the committee are to assume charge of the supper which will occur Tuesday evening, May 21, at 7 o'clock. Persons over 16 years of age are invited.

Mr. Jas. P. McDonald is seriously ill at his residence at the Centre.

Mr. T. H. Adams of Farmington, Maine, was visiting at Mr. and Mrs. Dr. C. P. Morrill's, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Parkhurst left town Thursday, to spend a few days with friends in Amherst, N. H. They will subsequently reside in Greenfield, N. H., for the summer.

Capt. Andrew Reeves of the N. A. Rifles is well on his way to the position of Senior Captain of the 8th Reg't, the resignations of Capt. Beede, of Co. C, Marblehead, and Pitman of Co. M of Somerville, making him the sixth Senior Captain, and officer of the fourth division.

Some good shooting is being done by the members of Co. L, at the light rifle range in the armory.

The annual meeting to elect officers for the Congregational Sabbath school will be held in the vestry next Wednesday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

The Eben Sutton S.F.E. was taken to the reservoir on the corner of Main and Railroad Streets, Thursday evening, for trial.

The Wren Dramatic, Musical and Drawing Room Entertainment Co., highly recommended by the press and various societies, make their first appearance in this town at Odd Fellows' Hall, next Friday evening. Reserved seats on sale at Perkins's Drug Store on and after next Saturday. Price, 25 and 35 cents.

The engineers with Mr. Stearns of Lawrence have been examining the fire alarm system this week. "Strikers" will be put into the houses of Engineer Hazelton and the new members of the Company.

Messrs. Wm. Roberts and C. M. Sanborn are making arrangements for a fraternal visit of Wynona Lodge, G. T. to the Haverhill Lodge.

Several fence posts were pulled up and laid across the horse car tracks along Merrimack St., Lawrence, to the Shawshen bridge, late Saturday night, supposed to be the work of North Andover roughs.

## Drowning Accident.

Wednesday afternoon about 4 o'clock Officer F. L. Sargent was notified that an accident had happened at the Shawshen bridge near the town boundary, just below the Chickering farm, on the "trotting park" road, and the parties concerned were in need of immediate assistance. Unable to go himself, word was sent to Officer Harris who left at once for the scene, and on his arrival there learned that as Mr. and Mrs. Frank Page and Mrs. N. B. Barry of Lawrence were driving from the direction of the city about 3.30 o'clock, the horse when on the bridge, by some mischance, became unmanageable and fell against the left railing which gave way, letting the horse, carriage, and the three occupants fall a distance of about 18 feet into the stream beneath. Mr. and Mrs. Page clung to the wheels of the team and after a little, recovering from the severe shock, succeeded in reaching the shore safely, but Mrs. Barry unfortunately was drowned before their eyes just beyond the aid of her friends.

Learning the nature of the fatality Officer Harris returned to the village; secured the grappling irons and the use of the Davis and Furber office team, and with Chief of Police Rextrow and Officer Crowther, went back about 5 o'clock to search for the body. In the meantime, Mr. E. W. Greene had taken Mr. and Mrs. Page to their home, and notified the Lawrence officers who with Ex-Mayor Breen soon reached the spot.

Officer Frank S. Gile was not notified but, on learning of the accident about half an hour after the others had departed, arrived at the place only a short time after the others, and plunged into the water at once hoping to recover the body by diving for it; but a boat having been brought from the Merrimack he, in company with Mr. John Kershaw, entered that and with the first throw of the line succeeded in bringing the body to the surface at about 6.35 o'clock just as the others were about to search further down the stream. The remains were taken from an eddy about 10 feet from the bridge, a short distance from where it sank, and were taken to Colby's undertaking rooms and viewed by the medical examiner. Deceased leaves a mother in Danvers, a husband, Mr. N. B. Barry, New York City, 3 daughters in Lawrence, and one son. The vehicle and horse received only slight injuries.

## FOR SALE.

A Modern House of nine rooms, situated near the church, in West Andover with two acres of land, at a bargain.

S. K. JOHNSON,  
Real Estate Agent.

Charles A. Farley,  
PIANO TUNER

And Dealer in Pianos and Musical Instruments.

IN ANDOVER DURING MAY. Orders left at the TOWNSMAN Office.

## FOR SALE.

A very desirable house for a small family, on one of the best streets in town, three minutes walk from Post Office, nice stable, grounds, and fruit trees. Inquire of  
GEORGE W. FOSTER,  
Andover, April 12, 1889.

## ELECTRIC LIGHT.

Parties contemplating the introduction of the Electric Light may examine a catalogue of fixtures and globes suitable for store and house lighting, at the store of Geo. H. Parker, druggist, on and after May 1. Fixtures should be ordered early so that they may be ready for use when the wiring is done.

Any further information in regard to prices etc., can be had by applying to

WM. CHARNLEY,  
Manufacturer's Agent.

H. S. WRIGHT,  
(Successor to Saunders Bros.)

PRACTICAL PLUMBER AND TINSMITH,

Furnaces and Ranges, Linings,  
Repairs & Stoves Stored.

Entrance Rear of Sears Boot and Shoe Store.

Seed Potatoes,  
Fresh Garden Seeds,  
Farming Tools,  
Dry Goods and Groceries.

T. A. HOLT & Co.,

Andover and North Andover Centre.

## New Advertisements.

By PEDRICK & CLOSSON.

## AUCTION SALE

- OF -

10 TO 15 PARCELS

- OF -

## Real Estate

Situated in  
FRYE VILLAGE.

Andover, most of it in the centre, close to the company's mills, being a part of the JOSEPH W. SMITH estate, on

Saturday, May 11,

At 2 o'clock, commencing at the Red Cottage. No. 1 is the 3 acre and 48 rod lot, and upon it the dwelling house of the late Lucetta Richardson home and 100 feet front and the balance of the lot running to Wm. Poor's wagon factory, we shall put into lots 100 feet front on the turnpike and running to the old Boston road. Grand dry and sunny lots. Cars promised at the door.

No. 2 is a parcel of land fronting on said turnpike and opposite the above, on Shawshen river and said Poor, 3 acres and 10 rods. This we shall sell by the acre or in one piece.

No. 3 is a lot containing about 11 acres, called the "Frye Lot," lying just north and opposite the homestead of the late John Smith and on the turnpike and old Boston road. This will be sold in parcels, one of which will be the Red cottage and the land enclosed. This is a fine building location and the cars will run along its entire front.

No. 4. A tract of land known as the Den lot bounded by John Smith, William Peters, John Dove and Isaac Wilson in Andover, a little way from the mill.

No. 5 is a 3 acre meadow not far from the brick school house in West Andover.

All of the different parcels with the subdivisions will be sold to the highest bidder on Saturday, May 11, commencing at 2 o'clock, at the Red cottage, right opposite the Smith homestead on old Boston road.

RICHARD P. HALLOWELL, Assignee.

Desirable House  
FOR SALE  
AT A LOW PRICE.

The House and land on Court off Pynchard Ave., belonging to Elwin Shattuck is offered for sale at a sacrifice. The house was built within a year, contains 7 rooms, well finished, hard wood floors, cemented cellar and is conveniently arranged. There is about 1-3 acre of land, with hen house, garden, and flourishing young fruit trees and grape vines. The location is one of the best, being in the centre of the town, near schools etc. The court is the beginning of a new street which is sure to be laid out soon from Pynchard Ave., to Pike St. If not sold at private sale before, will be sold

## AT AUCTION

Saturday, May 18th, 1889, at 3 o'clock P. M.  
For further particulars inquire of C. H. Shattuck or

S. G. BEAN,  
Auctioneer.

Real Estate for Sale and to  
Rent in Andover.

A Farm containing 47 acres. Large part of it Woodland. 1-4 mile from depot. Good house and barn. Can be bought cheap.

Also Farm of 6 acres one mile from Theological Seminary. New buildings and fine location.

Also 2 Woodlots belonging to the Estate of the late N. W. Hazen. Besides Houses for sale or to rent, furnished or unfurnished. Apply to

S. K. JOHNSON, Real Estate Agent,  
Andover, Mass.

## Merrimack Mutual Fire Insurance Co.

A special Meeting of the Members of the Merrimack Mutual Fire Insurance Company, will be held on the 13th day of May 1889, at the Office of the Company in Andover, at half-past Two o'clock in the afternoon, to consider whether the Company will provide for the accumulation of a permanent Fund, pursuant to the provisions of the 43rd Section of the 214th Chapter of the Acts of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, for the year 1887 and all other Acts relating thereto, and apply to such Fund any Monies or Securities of the Company, and take such action thereupon as the Company shall determine.

J. A. SMART, Sec'y.

April 17, 1889.

H. P. WRIGHT,  
Boots, Shoes & Rubbers.

BEST \$2.00 SHOE IN THE MARKET.

Repairing Neatly & Promptly Done.

Barnard's Block, Main Street,  
ANDOVER.

## SITUATION WANTED.

A place to do general housework by a competent girl who can do cooking and laundry work.

Reference. Apply to B. Townsman Office.

VALUABLE PROPERTY  
FOR SALE,

KNOWN AS THE

Daland Estate

On Porter St., Andover,

consisting of eleven acres of land with two story house, barn, carriage shed, hen coop, etc. House has broad piazzas on two sides, parlor, library, smoking and drawing room, very spacious hall, all with open fire places, seven sleeping rooms, three with open fire places, bath-room, laundry, very large attic, cemented cellars, furnace and all modern conveniences, good well with wind-mill supplying the house with an abundance of pure water. The land is well covered with shade trees, shrubbery, pine groves and has a fine tennis court. The estate is a most desirable one, in good condition, the house having been built within five years. This estate is on high land, commanding one of the finest views in Essex County and will be sold at a reasonable price. Apply to

W. M. HILL,  
Real Estate Dealer. Salem, Mass.

New Maple Syrup,  
Gallon Cans 75cts.

Pure Maple Sugar,  
10lb. Pails 9c a pound.

GOOD COOKING POTATOES  
(not strong.)

J. H. Campion & Co.,  
ANDOVER, MASS.



## OF PUBLIC INTEREST.

Continued from page 2.

American Union for the hundred years past, its endurance of the awful strain to which it has been subjected, and the greater stability it shows to day than any former period witnessed, as proof that the work of our fathers in forming the more perfect union of a national body was done wisely and well. Much depended, however, on the auspicious circumstances under which the national union was set up. One can hardly follow the public events of Washington's presidency, and not be persuaded that "the sudden success of the new system was due mainly to the existence at that time of such a character as Washington. He held the two natural parties apart, and prevented party contest until the new form of government had been firmly established. It would be unwise to attribute the quiet attainment of the result to the political sense of the American people alone, or to use it as an historical precedent for the voluntary assumption of such a risk again, without the advantage of such a political factor as Washington."

In summing up the character and work of Washington, I cannot do better than quote the words of George Bancroft, the historian: "There have been soldiers who have achieved mightier victories in the field, and made conquests more nearly corresponding to the boundlessness of human ambition; statesmen who have been connected with more startling upheavals of society; but it is the greatness of Washington that in public trusts he used power solely for the public good; that he was the life, and moderator, and stay of the most momentous revolution in human affairs, its moving impulse and its restraining power. Combining the centripetal and the centrifugal forces in their utmost strength and in perfect relations, with creative grandeur of instinct, he held ruin in check, and renewed and perfected the institutions of his country. Finding the colonies disconnected and dependent, he left them such a united and well-ordered commonwealth as no visionary had believed to be possible." That which above everything else constitutes the true wealth of a nation is the great characters it has produced—characters that after generations shall venerate, and whose virtues they will delight to imitate. Our country is rich in this possession; but in the long list of deservedly eminent Americans Washington fills the foremost place—"first in war, first in peace, an first in the hearts of his countrymen."

BY PROF. JOHN PHELPS TAYLOR.

We should be thankful to-day to Washington, my friends, for the blessing of peace; that the skies bend over a landscape undrenched in blood, where no cannon roars, no wounded groan, no widows and orphans mourn in the bitter fruit of fratricidal strife, is one portion of our heritage from the Father of his Country.

As citizens, too, we may rejoice in the homes which Washington did so much to adorn and to preserve. They were remembered beautifully in one of the collects of the day. The words "The defender of the mothers will be the protector of the daughters," were more than a graceful sentiment on a triumphal arch. Washington was remarkable for his strong domestic attachments. A pious son, a devout husband, a tender father of his adopted children, he embodied at Mt. Vernon, he recorded in his correspondence, the sweetness and the strength of the family ties. In this day of easy divorce and floating populations Washington's sacrifices for the American hearthstone cannot be too sacredly cherished.

No less may we remember our great leader for dignifying American agriculture. We think of him more naturally perhaps as an aristocrat. That is the impression of his cocked hat and silver buckles, his velvet coat and satin vest, his chariot and four or six. But this was partly the time, chiefly official state. George Washington himself was a simple Virginian farmer. No man in this land of mighty harvests ever gave himself with greater zest to the cultivation of the soil, breeding of stock, rotation of crops. His letters are full of allusions to the weather, the implements, the fertilizers, the cereals, the pastures, the timber, the workmen of his beloved acres.

At the same time Washington won for America the right to develop commercially. That right was denied by the mother country. Liberty to buy and sell was not ours before the Revolution. Our tobacco and rice and tar must go to England or nowhere. Navigation laws crippled the ship-building which was the glory of New England. The greedy manufacturer across the sea suppressed our slitting mills and our hat-factories. Thus a tax far greater than that on tea had been wrung from America already. Washington aimed for internal communications and external freedom to break this yoke. If to-day we have a coinage of something better than rags, a domestic commerce six fold the foreign commerce of Great Britain, a silver yield from one mine that would heap Broadway with nuggets to the eaves from the Battery to Central Park, a railroad system more extensive than that of all Europe, the Father of his Country and the statesmen he drew around him are to be credited under God for this marvellous prosperity.

Add to this what my Baptist brother has brought out so forcibly—our debt to Washington for the Constitution. Liberty combined with order was in it. How Washington agonized over the thought of "thirteen sovereignties pulling against each other, and all tugging at the Federal Head." His prescient eye saw ruin for the whole in such a chaos. And therefore, he who at first had meant to absent himself from Philadelphia during the Constitutional Convention not only attended it but presided over it, and hailed its adoption with undisguised joy. "Order without liberty"—that is Ireland in her distress. "Liberty without order"—that is France in her instability. Liberty and order—that was the gift of Washington to America through that masterpiece of the Constitution, which is the admiration of British statesmen, which has won the plaudits of a Gladstone, a Maine, a Bryce, and every other competent judge.

Let me not close without signalling one other blessing God has given America through our illustrious first President. I mean a church independent of the State yet loyal to it. I need not speak of Congregationalist and Puritan. Concord and Lexington and Bunker Hill speak for them. Phillips Brooks mentioned here at the consecration of this beautiful Andover memorial, "the first minister of the Old South church, true minister of Christ if ever such there was, passing in wig and gown and bands, with all his family about him, across the village green through the respectful crowd of his parishioners, a simple Puritan processional from parsonage to pulpit." I am glad my Baptist brother spoke of the fear some had that the rights of conscience had not been guarded with sufficient care in the new Constitution. Had that been the case Washington would never have signed the document. So he assured the general committee of United Baptist churches in Virginia in May, 1789. It enabled him as it does all of us to recall with satisfaction that the Baptists had been "uniformly and almost unanimously firm friends to civil liberty and persevering promoters of our glorious revolution."

To those who have looked on the Episcopal church as a Tory church I may fittingly retort, it was the church of Washington. Virginia was the great state in those days, and Virginia was Episcopalian to the core. The first bishop of Pennsylvania, White, was a chaplain of Congress in the dark days of the Revolutionary cause. The first bishop of New York, Provoost, was almost a son of liberty in his patriotism, Muhlenberg of Shenandoah wore in the pulpit a soldier's uniform beneath his gown, and with the words, "There is a time for peace and a time for war, and the present is a time for war," flung back the robes of the priest, and came forward in the trappings of a colonel. Nay more. It was a young man from an Episcopal College—then King's, now Columbia—who wrote the masterly refutation of an assault on the Cause of American liberty, and whose name a hundred years ago was emblazoned on the hull of the good ship "Constitution" at the celebration of the adoption of the Constitution in 1788.

Washington elsewhere commended the patriotic part taken by Roman Catholic citizens in the Revolution, and the important aid received from a nation professing the Roman Catholic religion. I am glad

to-day to quote the words of Cardinal Gibbons, the Roman Catholic: "To all it should be a matter of profound satisfaction that the citizens of the United States without regard to race or creed or previous allegiance to any flag soever are about to recognize the life and achievements of the greatest man this Western world has nurtured, as a gift of Almighty God to his own age, and as an exemplar to all the ages to be." With him and you I would be thankful for "the civil and religious blessings thus far vouchsafed to us by the Giver of every perfect gift," and would pray that the "spirit of patriotism which burned in Washington may continue to animate those to whom the destinies of our beloved country may be intrusted."

## Centennial Extracts.

New York, April 30, 1889.

FROM BISHOP POTTER'S ADDRESS IN ST. PAUL'S CHAPEL.

The modern student of history has endeavored to tell us how it was that the service in this chapel which we are striving to reproduce came about. The record is not without obscurity, but of one thing we may be sure—that to him who, of that goodly company which a hundred years ago gathered within these walls, was chief, it was no empty form, no decorous affectation. Events had been too momentous, the hands of a Heavenly Providence had been too plain for him, and the men who were grouped around him then, to misread the one or mistake the other. The easy levity with which their children's children debate the facts of God, and Duty, and Eternal Destiny were as impossible to them as Faith and Reverence seem to be, or to be in danger of becoming, to many of us. And so we may be very sure that, when they gathered here, the air was hushed, and hearts as well as heads were bent in honest supplication....

Another enormous difference between this day and that of which it is the anniversary is seen in the enormous difference in the nature and influence of the forces that determine our national and political destiny. Then, ideas ruled the hour. To-day, there are indeed ideas that rule our hour, but they must be merchantable ideas. The growth of wealth, the prevalence of luxury, the massing of large material forces, which by their very existence are a standing menace to the freedom and integrity of the individual, the infinite swagger of our American speech and manners, mistaking bigness for greatness, and sadly confounding gain and godliness—all this is a contrast to the austere simplicity, the unpurchasable integrity of the first days of the first men of our republic which makes it impossible to reproduce to-day either the temper or the conduct of our fathers. As we turn the pages backward, and come upon the story of that 30th of April in the year of our Lord 1789, there is a certain stateliness in the air, a certain ceremoniousness in the manners, which we have banished long ago. We have exchanged the Washingtonian dignity for the Jeffersonian simplicity, which was, in truth, only another name for the Jacksonian vulgarity. And what have we gotten in exchange for it? In the elder states and dynasties they had the trappings of royalty and the pomp and splendor of the king's person to fill men's hearts with loyalty. Well, we have dispensed with the old titular dignities. Let us take care that we do not part with that tremendous force for which they stood! If there be not titular royalty, all the more need is there for personal royalty. If there is to be no nobility of descent, all the more indispensable is it that there should be nobility of ascent—a character in them that bear rule, so fine and high and pure, that as men come within the circle of its influence they involuntarily pay homage to that which is the one pre-eminent distinction, the royalty of virtue!

FROM CHAUNCEY M. DEFEW'S ORATION.

No man ever stood for so much to his country and to mankind as George Washington. Hamilton, Jefferson and Adams, Madison and Jay, each represented some of the elements that formed the Union. Washington embodied them all. They fell at times under popular disapproval, were burned in effigy, were stoned; but he, with unerring judgment, was always the leader of the people.

We stand to-day upon the dividing line between the first and second century of Constitutional Government. There are no clouds overhead and no convulsions under our feet. We reverently return thanks to Almighty God for the past, and with confident and hopeful promise march upon sure ground toward the future. The simple facts of these hundred years paralyze the imagination, and we contemplate the vast accumulations of the century with awe and pride. Our population has grown from four to sixty-five millions. The infant industries, which the first act of our first Administration sought to encourage, now give remunerative employment to more people than inhabited the republic at the beginning of Washington's presidency.

The grand total of their annual output of seven thousand millions of dollars in value places the United States first among the manufacturing countries of the earth. One-half the total mileage of all the railroads, and one-quarter of all the telegraph lines of the world within our borders testify to the volume, variety, and value of an internal commerce which makes these states, if need be, independent and self-supporting. These hundred years of development under favoring political conditions have brought the sum of our national wealth to a figure which has passed the results of a thousand years for the motherland herself, otherwise the richest of modern empires.

During this generation a civil war of unequalled magnitude caused the expenditure and loss of eight thousand millions of dollars, and killed over a million young men, and yet the impetuous progress of the North and the marvellous industrial development of the new and free South have obliterated the evidences of destruction, and made the war a memory, and have stimulated production until our annual surplus nearly equals that of England, France and Germany combined.

FROM PRESIDENT HARRISON'S REMARKS.

We seem to have been a part of that admiring and almost worshiping throng that filled these streets 100 years ago. We have come into the serious, but always inspiring presence of Washington. He was the incarnation of duty, and he teaches us to-day the great lessons that those who would associate their names with events that shall outlive a century can only do so by high consecration to duty. Self seeking has no public observance or anniversary. Washington seemed to come to the discharge of the duties of his high place impressed with a sense of his unfamiliarity with these new calls upon him, modestly doubtful of his own ability, and trusting implicitly in the sustaining helpfulness and grace of that God who rules the world, presides in the councils of nations, and is able to supply every human demand. We have made a marvelous progress in material things, but the stately and enduring shaft at the national capital at Washington symbolizes that he is yet the first American citizen.

A PRAYER FROM THE SERVICE AT ST. PAUL'S CHAPEL, NEW YORK, AND AT CHRIST CHURCH, ANDOVER.

O God, whose Name is excellent in all the earth, and whose glory is above the heavens: We bless thee for the great things thou hast done and art doing for the children of men. We consider the days of old, the years of ancient times, and unto thee do we give thanks. Moreover, we yield thee most high praise for the wonderful grace and virtue declared in all those thy children who have been the lights of the world in their several generations. For raising up thy servant George Washington, and giving him to be a leader and commander to the people; for vouchsafing to him victory over kings, and for bestowing upon him many excellent gifts; for inclining the hearts of men in Congress assembled to wise choices, and for granting them vision of the days to come; for a settled constitution, and for equal laws; for freedom to do the thing that is right, and liberty to say the truth; for the spread of knowledge everywhere among us, and for the preservation of the faith; we bless and magnify thy holy Name, humbly beseeching thee to accept this our sacrifice of thanks and praise, through Jesus Christ our only Saviour and Redeemer. Amen.

## John G. Whittier's Poem.

The sword was sheathed; in April's sun  
Lay green the fields by Freedom won;  
And severed sections, weary of debates,  
Joined hands at last and were United States.

O City sitting by the Sea!  
How proud the day that dawned on thee,  
When the new era, long desired, began,  
And in its need, the hour had found the man!

One thought the cannon salvo spoke;  
The resonant bell-tower's vibrant stroke,  
The voiceful streets, the plaudits-echoing halls,  
And prayer and hymn borne heavenward from St. Paul's!

How felt the land in every part  
The strong throbs of a nation's heart,  
And its great leader gave, with reverent awe,  
His pledge to Union, Liberty, and Law!

That pledge the heavens above him heard,  
That vow the sleep of centuries stirred;  
In world-wide wonder listening peoples bent  
Their gaze on Freedom's great experiment.

Could it succeed? Of honor sold  
And hopes deceived all history told.  
Above the wrecks that strewed the mournful past,  
Was the long dream of ages true at last?

Thank God! the people's joy was just,  
The one man equal to his trust,  
Wise beyond lore, and without weakness good,  
Calm in the strength of flawless rectitude.

His rule of justice, order, peace,  
Made possible the world's release;  
Taught prince and serf that power is but a trust,  
And rule, alone, which serves the ruled, is just;

That Freedom generous is, but strong  
In hate of fraud and selfish wrong,  
Pretense that turns her holy truth to lies,  
And lawless license masking in her guise.

Land of his love! with one glad voice  
Let thy great sisterhood rejoice;  
A century's suns o'er thee have risen and set,  
And, God be praised, we are one nation yet.

And still, we trust, the years to be  
Shall prove his hope was destiny,  
Leaving our flag with all its added stars  
Unrent by faction and unstained by wars!

Lo! where with patient toil he nursed  
And trained the new-set plant at first,  
The widening branches of a spreading tree  
Stretch from the sunrise to the sunset sea.

And in its broad and sheltering shade,  
Sitting with none to make afraid,  
Were we now silent, through each mighty limb,  
The winds of heaven would sing the praise of him.

Our first and best! his ashes lie  
Beneath his own Virginian sky;  
Forgive, forget, O true and just and brave,  
The storm that swept above thy sacred grave!

For, ever in the awful strife  
And dark hours of the nation's life,  
Through the fierce tumult pierced his warning word,  
Their father's warning voice his erring children heard!

The change for which he prayed and sought  
In that sharp agony was wrought;  
No partial interest draws its alien line  
Twixt North and South, the cypress and the pine!

One people now, all doubt beyond,  
His name shall be our Union-bond;  
We lift our hands to Heaven, and here and now  
Take on our lips the old Centennial vow.

For rule and trust must needs be ours;  
Chooser and chosen both are powers  
Equal in service as in rights; the claim  
Of duty rests on each and all the same.

Then let the sovereign millions, where  
Our banner floats in sun and air,  
From the warm palm lands to Alaska's cold,  
Repeat with us the pledge a century old.  
Oak Knoll, Danvers, Mass.

## BOOKS AND READING.

The May Century is not behind its illustrious predecessors in variety and interest. Those who turn first to "Abraham Lincoln: A History," will find three significant topics—The President and the Draft, Vallandigham, the Defeat of the Peace Party at the Polls. Those who "go for" the stories first will read Mary Hallock Foote's Last Assembly Ball and Geo. W. Cable's Salome Müller. For art we have Orcagna, of the Italian Old Masters, and Recollections of Jean Francois Millet. For travel combined with sacred history we have Mr. Wilson's Round about Jerusalem; for travel and medieval history, The Monasteries of Ireland; for travel and current history, Samoa: the Isles of the Navigators; for travel and true romance, George Kennan's Ride through the Trans-Baikal. Unclassified, but not uninteresting, papers are Roby's Christian Charity, Tom's Strategy, and The Western Soldier. Edward Everett Hale contributes The Lamentable Ballad of the Bloody Brook (in South Deerfield, Mass.), where the "flower of Essex" perished two hundred years ago. Topics of the time, Open letters, and Bric-a-brac make up the number. [Century Co., New York; \$4 a year.]

WANTED. To find a person who has used Beach's World Soap that is not perfectly satisfied. Ask your Grocer for it.



## SUNDAY NEWS AND NOTES.

## Church Services.

**SOUTH CHURCH.**—Organized 1711. Rev. J. J. Blair, pastor. Morning service, 10.30; evening, 7.15; Christian Endeavor meeting, 8; Wednesday evening, 7.30; Supt. of Sunday School, John Alden. Sexton, Oliver W. Vennard, Central St.

**WEST CHURCH.**—Organized 1826. Rev. Frederick W. Greene, pastor. Morning service, 10.30; evening, 7; at Osgood school-house, 7; Friday evening, 7.30; Christian Endeavor, Wednesday evening. Supt. of Sunday School, Fred. S. Boutwell. Sexton, Daniel W. Trow.

**FREE CHRISTIAN CHURCH.**—Organized 1846. Rev. ———, pastor. Morning service, 10.30; evening, 7; Christian Endeavor, 6.15; Wednesday evening, 7.45. Supt. of Sunday School, John W. Bell. Sexton, Stillman H. Harnden, Essex St.

**SEMINARY CHURCH.**—Organized 1865. Professors of Theological Seminary, pastors. Morning service, 10.30; afternoon, 3; Wednesday evening, 7. Supt. of Sunday School, Prof. D. Y. Comstock. Sexton, F. M. Hill.

**CHRIST CHURCH.**—Organized 1835. Rev. Frederic Palmer, rector. Morning service 10.30; evening, 7.15. Ass't Supt. of Sunday-school, H. H. Tyer. Sexton, Geo. O. Hill, Summer St.

**CHURCH OF ST. AUGUSTINE.**—Organized 1852. Rev. J. J. Ryan, pastor. Holy Communion, 8; High Mass and sermon, 10.45; Vespers 3.

**BAPTIST CHURCH.**—Organized 1858. Rev. J. V. Stratton, pastor. Morning service, 10.30 evening, 7; Wednesday evening, 7.30. Supt. of Sunday School, Chas. N. L. Stone. Sexton, Henry A. Hill.

**UNION CHURCH, Ballardvale.**—Organized 1854. Rev. G. S. Butler, pastor. Morning service, 10.30; evening, 6; Christian Endeavor, 5.15. Supt. of Sunday school, C. H. Marland.

**METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Ballardvale.**—Organized 1850. Rev. N. H. Martin, pastor. Morning service, 10; evening, 7. Young People's meeting, 6.15; Tuesday and Friday evenings, 7.30; Supt. of Sunday School, John Howell.

The first Sunday in May was sunny and genial. The communion service was observed in the various churches, and the subjects of sermons generally made appropriate to that. At the South church, Rev. Mr. Blair preached from Luke 9:13, "Give ye them to eat"—the Christian church the distributor of the bread of life to the world.

Rev. Frederic Palmer preached at Christ church from Mark 14:32-33, on Peter, James, and John as the main links in the chain connecting the Gospel history before the death of Christ, with the history of the Christian church after the Day of Pentecost. In the evening he preached from Ezek. 16:3, "Thy father was an Amorite, and thy mother an Hittite." The two forces that shape life are on the one hand, heredity and environment, and on the other, personal exertion and will. The former holds a larger place in the Old Testament; while the summary of the New is, "Whosoever will, let him come."

Rev. E. A. Whittier of Lawrence preached at the Baptist church in the morning. The text was Luke 19:10 "The son of man is come to seek and to save that which was lost." The sermon was a deeply interesting exhibition of the love of Christ which brought Him into our world on the errand of salvation for sinners. The evening service was the monthly missionary meeting.

Father Ryan preached from John 10:1, The Good Shepherd.

At the Free church, Professor Moore preached from 1 Cor. 15:45—the first man Adam a living soul, the last Adam a life-giving spirit. His afternoon text was John 14:23.

Rev. F. W. Greene preached at the West church from Nahum 1:7—three truths about God: "The Lord is good, a stronghold in the day of trouble, and He knoweth them that trust in Him." Missionary concerts were held in the vestry and at the Osgood District in the evening, the meeting at the vestry being especially interesting.

Professor Taylor, the preacher for May at the Seminary church, using for his text Rom. 1:16, 17, gave a comprehensive summary of the argument in Paul's Epistle to the Romans. The one great theme was the righteousness of God through faith, and this is drawn out in the successive chapters. All men need this, for all men are sinners, not Gentiles only, but Jews. This justification is provided through the redemption that is in Christ.

The Seminary students supplied the following churches last Sabbath: M. W. Adams, Dunbarton, N.H.; A. H. Ames, Londonderry, N.H.; G. F. Kenngott, Newport, N.H.; E. G. Lancaster, Chester, N.H.; F. B. Noyes, East Andover, N.H.; C. C. Torrey, Shirley, Mass.; I. L. Wilcox, West Hartford, Vt.; J. F. Crosby, Barrington, N.H.; F. E. Ramsdell, Alton, N.H.; Wm. Rader, Rochester, N.H.

Mr. J. F. Crosby, of the Middle Class, has received a unanimous invitation to supply for a year the church at Barrington, N.H.

We note several contributions in the society magazines for May. American Board, Free church, \$35.34; Rev. F. W. Greene, \$30; A friend, \$20. Home Missionary, Rev. W. L. Ropes and two friends, \$25; South church, young ladies in Abbot Academy, \$23.50; Miss Alice Abbot's S.S. class, \$7.70; West church, \$30, Mrs. Mary M. Greene, \$10, Christian Endeavor Society, \$5.35; American Congregational Union, South church, \$20.

## Towns Around Us.

Principal Scott, of Phillips Exeter Academy, Exeter, has resigned to take a position as literary manager of a Chicago publishing house.

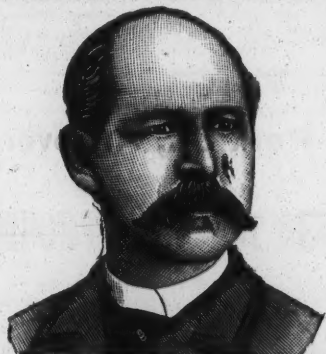
An infant child of Rev. Mr. Murphy, of Middleton, was severely burned a few days ago, its clothes getting on fire while playing with matches.

Beverly is in a peck of trouble. The summer people at the "Farms" think their taxes too high, but the selectmen will not abate the taxes. T. K. Lothrop, who pays tax on half a million dollars worth of personal property, notifies the assessors that he shall hereafter pay in Boston. Franklin Haven put up at auction on Monday two lots of land, respectively, of eight and twenty-four acres. The smaller lot, assessed at \$13,000, sold for \$9,000; the larger, assessed for \$104,000, was run up to \$50,000, and withdrawn. It is understood that this will necessitate a general reduction on other lands in the vicinity.

Besides this, the temperance people of Beverly are indignant at their selectmen for re-electing a chief of police who does not enforce the liquor law; if he does not do it now, they will call a special town meeting, and see what can be done about it.

A crock of butter placed in a well in Pennsylvania thirty years ago and forgotten, has just been hauled up and found to be sweet and fresh. Well kept!

If any dealer says he has the W. L. Douglas shoes without name and price stamped on the bottom, put him down as a fraud.



**W. L. DOUGLAS**  
**\$3 SHOE**  
FOR GENTLEMEN.

Best in the world. Examined by  
\$4.00 GENUINE HAND-SEWED SHOE.  
\$4.00 HAND-SEWED WELT SHOE.  
\$3.50 POLICE AND FARMERS' SHOE.  
\$3.50 EXTRA VALUE CALF SHOE.  
\$3.25 WORKINGMAN'S SHOE.  
\$3.00 and \$1.75 BOYS' SCHOOL SHOES.  
All made in Congress, Button and Lace.

**W. L. DOUGLAS**  
**\$3 SHOE**  
FOR LADIES.

Best Material. Best Style. Best Fitting.  
If not sold by your dealer, write  
W. L. DOUGLAS, BROOKTON, MASS.

Examine W. L. Douglas \$2.00 Shoes  
for gentlemen and ladies.

FOR SALE BY

**BENJ. BROWN,**  
MAIN ST., ANDOVER.

## J. H. CHANDLER,

PROPRIETOR

Johnson's Andover & Boston Express.

OFFICE AT

Periodical, Fruit, & Confectionery Store,  
Opposite Town Hall, Andover.

BOSTON OFFICES,

32 Court Sq. & 105 Arch St.

F. A. DINSMORE,  
FURNITURE REPAIRING

IN ALL ITS BRANCHES.

Carpet-Beating by Steam.

Curtain, Carpet, Cabinet, Mattress and  
Upholstery Work. Shades, Poles, Spring Rollers,  
Brass and Nickel Rods and Trimmings constantly  
on hand. Packing of Furniture and Household  
Jobbing done with care.

SHOP NEXT EAST OF ANDOVER BAKERY,

PARK ST., ANDOVER, MASS.

Post Office Box, 133.

D. SWEENEY,  
Horse and Ox Shoeing,  
GENERAL BLACKSMITH.

Special care taken with interfering and over-reaching horses.

Punchard Ave., Andover, Mass.

## J. ABBOTT,

Picture Frames,  
Curtains and Fixtures,  
Looking Glasses, etc.

Park Street, Andover.

## J. E. SEARS,

Dealer in

BOOTS, SHOES, AND RUBBERS.

The best \$3 Shoe in the market.

Repairing neatly done.

MAIN ST., ANDOVER.

M. V. CLEASON,  
Mason and Builder.

Mason work of all kinds also Kalsomining,  
Whitening, Tinting and Whitewashing executed  
promptly at the lowest prices.

Order Box at the Post Office.

Maple Avenue, Andover.

O. CHAPMAN,  
Dining Rooms,

Main Street, Andover.

A. W. CALDWELL,  
HOUSE PAINTER.

Shop, High Street, P. O. Box, 370.

ANDOVER, MASS.

## E. H. BARNARD,

House, Sign, and Carriage Painter,  
Graining, Glazing, and Paper-hanging.

Dealer in Paints, Oils, Window-glass, & Wall-papers.

ESSEX ST., ANDOVER.

## Mrs. M. L. RAMSDELL,

Stamping and Embroidery Goods.

Worsted, Fancy Goods, Small Wares,  
etc. etc.

AGENT FOR

Butterick's Patterns, and Pearl Rug-Maker.

37 Main Street, Near cor. of Chestnut.  
Andover, Mass.

ESTABLISHED 1866.

## Valpey Brothers,

DEALERS IN

Meats, Vegetables. Poultry,  
etc. etc.

No. 1 Main Street, Andover, Mass.

Corner Elm Square.

## ELM HOUSE,

A. F. WILBUR, Prop.

Opposite Memorial Hall.

ANDOVER, MASS.

This Hotel is pleasantly situated in one of the most  
beautiful and healthful towns in New England.

Ample Accommodations for Summer Boarders.

First-class livery connected with the house.

Established 1833.

## WILLIAM POOR,

MANUFACTURER OF

Express, Grocery, Market, Meat, Milk,  
Fish, Order, and Business

## WAGONS.

Repairing, in all its branches, receives special  
attention.

## T. A. HOLT &amp; CO.

Groceries,

Dry Goods,

Crockery

and

Glass Ware,

Basement Baptist Church,

Central St., Andover.

## BENJ. BROWN,

—DEALER IN—

Boots, Shoes & Rubbers.

HEADQUARTERS FOR

TENNIS AND BALL SHOES.

LADIES' OXFORDS AT LOW PRICES.

Swift's Building, Main Street, Andover.

THOMAS BEVINGTON,  
Insurance and Real Estate Agency.

LOANS NEGOTIATED.

Rooms, 283 Essex St., Lawrence, Mass.

M. L. RAMSDELL,  
DEALER IN SEWING-MACHINES.

The New Boston and New Home, Specialties.

Needles, Oil, etc.

Machines adjusted, cleaned, and repaired.

37 Main Street. Near cor. of Chestnut

## JOHN CORNELL,

DEALER IN

COAL, WOOD, HAY, AND STRAW.

OFFICE:

CARTER'S BLOCK, MAIN STREET,

YARD:

Near the Freight Station of Boston and  
Maine Railroad.

B. B. TUTTLE,  
EXPRESS AND JOBBING.

Particular attention given to moving Pianos  
and Furniture.

Essex Street, Andover, Mass.

THOMAS P. HARRIMAN,  
Horse & Ox Shoeing & General Blacksmithing,  
Park Street, Andover.

ANDERSON & BOWMAN,  
Blacksmithing, Horseshoeing, & Jobbing  
done with promptness and despatch. Special care  
with interfering and overreaching horses.  
Park Street, Andover.

BROWN'S  
Andover and Boston Express:

BOSTON OFFICES:

34 Court Sq. & 77 Kingston St.

Agent United States and International Express.

F. B. JENKINS Prop.

ANDOVER OFFICE, PARK ST.,

Late Express from Boston at 8 o'clock.

REA & ABBOTT,  
Provision Dealers,  
Main St., Andover.

OPPOSITE THE BANK.

J. H. DEAN,  
Merchant Tailor.

CARMENTS MADE IN THE LATEST FASHION.

Ready-Made Clothing, Hats, Caps, Gents'  
Furnishing Goods of the Latest Styles  
always on hand. Repairing,  
Cleaning and Pressing  
done at Short Notice.

31 MAIN ST., ANDOVER, MASS.

BRAINARD CUMMINGS,  
CARPENTER and BUILDER,  
Having largely increased his facilities for doing  
business, is better than ever before prepared  
to do

All Kinds of Carpenter Work at the Lowest  
Living Prices.

Building Lumber of all kinds for sale, on hand, or  
furnished at short notice.

SHINGLES A SPECIALTY.

New Shop, cor. Park and Bartlett Sts.,  
ANDOVER, MASS.

Residence, cor. Park Street and Punchard Avenue.

GEORGE S. COLE,  
Carpenter & Builder.

All Jobbing receives careful and prompt  
attention.

Maple Avenue, Andover.

GEORGE PIDDINGTON,  
FLORIST.

Wedding and Funeral Designs neatly executed.

Greenhouses, School St., near depot



## ANDOVER NEWS.

For other Andover News, see Pages 1 and 4.

## Special Notices.

**Saturday:** Sunbeam Mission Circle at South church vestry, 2.30 P.M. Mite boxes will be opened.

**Sunday:** Prof. Taylor will preach at the Seminary church.

Prof. Harris will preach at the Free church.

**Thursday:** Auction of C. L. Carter's carriages, and Prof. Mead's furniture, Mansion House yard, 1 P.M.

Wren Combination at Town Hall, 8 P.M.

## BIRTHS.

In North Andover, April 29, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. James Woodhouse.

In North Andover, May 7, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Stone.

In Andover, May 5, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. E. Kendall.

In Ballardvale, May 8, a son to Mr. and Mrs. John McIntyre.

## DEATHS.

In Andover, May 7, Samuel Foster Woodbridge, aged 65 years.

In Andover (Marland Village), May 5, Mrs. Ruth (Ramsden) Auty, wife of John W. Auty, aged 27 years.

In Andover, (Abbott Village), May 8, Horatio Hutchinson, child of Mr. and Mrs. John Hutchinson, aged 15 days.

In North Hampton, N. H., May 5, after a sickness of eleven years, Mrs. Mary Holyoke Hobbs, widow of Mr. Jonathan Hobbs, daughter of the late Rev. Dr. Jonathan French of No. Hampton, and mother of Mrs. R. A. Tilton of Andover, aged 76 years.

In Lawrence, 59 Springfield St., of phthisis, Mrs. Catherine E. Clark, aged 41 years, wife of Mr. Ed. E. Clark.

In Roxbury, May 2, Charles K. Dillaway, formerly master of the Boston Latin School, aged 84 years.

In Salem, May 3, William Neilson, M.D., aged 80 years.

In Lowell, May 6, John W. Smith, aged 73 years, a native of Ipswich, but for 54 years connected with the Merrimack Company.

## Probate.

SALEM, May 6. Will proved—Mary Schofield of Andover; John Schofield, Andover, Executor.

Inventories filed—Carrie M. Hewes, a minor, of Andover; real estate, \$2214; personal estate, \$200.

Geo. A. Smith, of Andover, a minor. No. real estate; personal estate, \$275.83.

David Snow, of Andover; real estate, \$55,700; personal estate, \$5301.66.

Georgianna Snow, a minor, of Andover; no real estate; personal estate, \$11,500.

## Advertised Letters, April 29, 1889.

Boarding, Ellen	Kimball, S. E.
Barnard, Damin	Lindsey, Annie S.
Buchan, C. S.	McDonald, Jessie
Chapman, M. F.	Mead, E. P.
Costen, Elbert 2	Milnes, Eliza
Daley, Ellen	Moré, J. O.
Fitzgerald, Hannah	Neal, H. P.
Foot, William	Strong, W. L. & Co.
French, Tom	Sawyer, F. A.
Hardy, A. F.	Smith, Geo. care of
Godfrey, Jas.	A. Eames
Harks, Nellie	Savage, May-C.
Harrington, Dan.	Tyler, Wm. B.
Hemmenway, John	Waldo, Jas.
Kelley, Annie	Winchester, J. B.

Monday, May 6.

Corning, M.	Haverty, Mary
Daly, Patrick	Houston, Wm.
Dennison, Lydia	Lindsey, A. E.
Farren, Lizzie	Russell, Winslow
Haseltine, Clara	Weymouth, Chas.
	W. G. GOLDSMITH, P. M.

## A Safe Investment.

Is one which is guaranteed to bring you satisfactory results, or in case of failure a return of purchase price. On this safe plan you can buy from our advertised Druggist a bottle of Dr. King's-New Discovery for Consumption. It is guaranteed to bring relief in every case, when used for any affection of Throat, Lungs or Chest, such as Consumption, Inflammation of the Lungs, Bronchitis, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Croup, etc., etc. It is pleasant and agreeable to taste, perfectly safe, and can always be depended upon.

Trial bottles free at all Drugstores.

## Auction Sale at Mansion House, by J. E. Conant &amp; Co., Lowell.

An Abbot-Downing Concord coach in good condition. A Chauncey Thomas barouche in good running order. A good 16-passenger barge in first class order. Extension-top carryall, by Moses Clement, in excellent shape, light carryall, carryall with depot rack, 2 open beach wagons, bar-spring buggy, etc. One set team harness, single and double harnesses, collars, bridles, hames, saddles, robes, blankets, halters, etc. Small lot of farming tools. Large lot of furniture, crockery and glass ware.

The above is the property of Mr. Chas. L. Carter, and was saved at the time the Mansion House was burned. In connection with the above, the household furniture of Prof. Mead, book cases, library and parlor tables, lounges, dining-room and kitchen furniture and utensils, chamber furniture, oil cloths and matting, dinner and tea sets, etc., etc.

The property will be at the Mansion House stable yard, Andover, Mass., where it will be sold to the highest bidder for cash, Thursday, May 16, commencing at 1 o'clock, sharp.

## Salem St. Temperature.

Taken at 5.00 A. M., and 9.30 P. M.

	Morning.	Evening.	
Apr. 19, Friday.	50°	48°	clear
20, Saturday.	46	63	rain, th.
21, Sunday.	59	55	rain, th.
22, Monday.	38	38	clear
23, Tuesday.	29	42	clear
24, Wednesday.	40	43	clear
25, Thursday.	44	58	rain
Apr. 26, Friday.	50°	51°	rain
27, Saturday.	48	53	rain
28, Sunday.	51	51	cloudy
29, Monday.	49	51	rain
30, Tuesday.	43	47	clear
May 1, Wednesday.	38	47	clear
2, Thursday.	37	48	clear

## Mansion House Register.

May 2-9: Amos Blanchard and wife, Boston; M. W. Turner and wife, Malden; Warren M. Whiting and family, Boston; Mrs. F. N. Lewis, Louisville, Ky.; G. J. Rand, Oxford, N. H.; L. V. Goodhue and wife, Salem; Lawrence Cushing, Geo. Mosely, Newburyport; Miss Agnes Robbins, Norwood; Dr. W. H. H. Hastings and wife, Boston; J. H. Bussell, Boston; Bemis, Belcher, Walbridge, Allen, Hare, Sexton, Pope, Clark, Thayer, Sullivan, Storrs, Burns, Howland, Holden, Amherst College; Mrs. W. C. Walker, Rye, N. H.; Charles Wadsworth, Wm. S. Wadsworth, Worcester; Will T. Ness, Boston.

Among the many notices we have published from Florida, nothing is of more practical interest than the advertisement of a lady in Live Oak for a husband. Her list of requisitions is brief and sensible: "Must be a man of good moral standing; not over 40 years of age; industrious and temperate." She modestly withholds all information about herself, except that she is "a handsome widow," and wants a husband.

## Eupepsy.

This is what you ought to have, in fact, you must have it, to fully enjoy life. Thousands are searching for it daily, and mourning because they find it not. Thousands upon thousands of dollars are spent annually by our people in the hope that they may obtain this boon. And yet it may be had by all. We guarantee that Electric Bitters, if used according to directions and the use persisted in, will bring you Good Digestion and out the demon Dyspepsia and install instead Eupepsy. We recommend Electric Bitters for Dyspepsia and all other diseases of Liver, Stomach and Kidneys. Sold at 50 cts. and \$1.00 per bottle at any Drugstore.

## COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

ESSEX, ss.

## PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, next of Kin, and all other persons interested in the Estate of Peter Farmer, late of Andover, in said county, farmer, deceased:

## GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Marilla M. Haley, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her the executrix therein named.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Salem, in said county of Essex, on the third Monday of May, next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said Marilla M. Haley is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the ANDOVER TOWNSMAN, printed at Andover, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this nineteenth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine.

J. T. MAHONEY, REGISTER.

## HARDWARE

—AND—

## Farming Tools,

Painters' Supplies,  
Sportsmen's Goods,  
Cutlery, and  
General Hardware.

A fine assortment of

Robes &amp; Horse Blankets.

H. McLawlin.

FOR  
Life and Accident Insurance

—APPLY TO—

J. A. SMART, Agent.

## NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN that James Daw has retired from the firm of Adams & Daw. All bills due to the old firm should be paid to Edward Adams and all bills owed by them will be paid by him. The business will be continued by the undersigned.

EDWARD ADAMS.

MRS. F. D. LEONARD,  
NURSE.

SATISFACTORY REFERENCES.

RESIDENCE: First House beyond Barnard's Shoe Shop, Town House Court.

DRESS MAKING &amp; REPAIRING.

MRS. M. E. WATSON.

Rooms in Dean's Block, over Soehrens  
MAIN STREET, ANDOVER.

E. PIKE,  
Stoves and Tinware.

Plumbing  
AND  
Steam Fitting

In all its Branches.

Park St., Andover.

Lincoln Lodge, No. 79, A. O. U. W.

A Fraternal Insurance Organization which insures its members for \$2000, and aids them in case of sickness or disability.

O. P. CHASE, Rec.

The A. O. U. W. Hall in Russell & Barnard's Block having been neatly fitted up, can now be hired for social gatherings or for regular stated meetings of Societies and Lodges. First class piano to let. For particulars apply to

Geo. W. Chandler,  
James Grosvenor,  
O. P. Chase.

Andover, March 14, 1889  
Sand and Gravel for sale  
near the Depot. Apply to Geo.  
L. Abbott or Wm. S. Jenkins.

Many very handsome styles for Spring and  
Summer Suitings among New Goods just  
received.

CALL AND BE CONVINCED.

J. M. BRADLEY,  
TAILOR AND FURNISHER.

## SMITH &amp; MANNING.

## Flour, Grain and Fancy Groceries.

Teas, Coffees, and Spices. Canned Fruits of all kinds.

## S. Alghieri's Celebrated Soups.

## DRY AND FANCY GOODS.

Hosiery, Gloves, and Underwear. A Full Line of Staple and Domestic Goods.

The Celebrated PEARL SHIRTS, Laundered and Unlaundered.

## CARPETS.

Brussels, Tapestry, Ingrains, Rugs, Matting and Oil Cloth

## Crockery and Glassware.

Paper Hangings and Curtains, Etc.

## SMITH &amp; MANNING,

Essex Street, Andover.

M. E. WHITE,  
MASON and BUILDER.

Special attention given to Setting Fire Places and Tiling, Kalsomining, Whitening and Tinting done in the best manner at the right prices.

Office Essex Street,  
Opposite Barnard's Paint Shop.

SPECTACLES  
AND  
EYE-CLASSES

LADIES' AND GENTS'

Gold and Silver Watches,  
Leather Goods, Pocket Books,  
Purses, Card Cases, Bags,  
Thermometers, Glass, Tin & Fancy Styles.

Come and Examine the

BOY'S WATCH.

## WHITING

THE

JEWELLER.